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ATTACKS STATE DEPARTMENT

Johnson Holds Its Mexican Policy to Be "Hazardous."

SENATOR ISSUES STATEMENT

Declares That If the Rule Laid Down by Secretary Hughes as to Mexico Had Obtained in 1776 This Country Would Still Be a Dependency of Britain—Confers With His Supporters at Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—Senator Hiram Johnson, following a conference with his national manager, Frank H. Hitchcock, at the Auditorium hotel, announced that he purposed to put on a campaign in Illinois that would be "warm enough for everybody."

The senator after laying down the law to all his aides who attended the conference bluntly declared that from now on his chance of being nominated for the presidency depended largely on what happens in the primaries that will be held in March and April. And if they wanted to get down to the grass roots of the actual situation, he said, all they had to do was to make Illinois the greatest political battleground in recent years. He promised, meantime, that he would do his share, for if either Illinois or Michigan were permitted to go by default it would seriously jeopardize the whole national situation so far as he was concerned.

Some of the senator's admirers thought he was purposely throwing a scare into them in order to get a little pep into the battle in the middle western states. There may have been some such mental reservation on the part of the senator, but the truth of the matter is that if President Coolidge should carry these western states in a primary it would be notice to the country that the common people were with him in the sections where he was supposed to be weakest. And if they are with him, then, some of the senator's aides declare, he should be nominated.

Senator Johnson later issued a statement denouncing the state department at Washington for taking sides in the Mexican revolution. The senator declared that it negates the fundamental principles of the American republic, holds the American protestations of "friendly relations with all nations" up to scorn, and is repugnant to the spirit of liberty as well as the rights of all people.

If the rule now laid down by Secretary of State Hughes as to Mexico had obtained in 1776, this country would still be a dependency of Great Britain, he said. He characterized it as a hazardous policy. Johnson proceeded:

"It isn't a question between backing one side or the other I criticize; it is backing either in a war of which we know nothing and which is none of our concern. The policy enunciated by our government is at variance with what has been thought to be fundamental with us."

"It is now officially declared that the United States will aid and maintain constituted authority, will preserve the status quo on his hemisphere. Our nation in advance takes its position against any and all revolutions, no matter what the merits, and undertakes with its mighty power to sustain as against rebellion or revolution any existing government of whatever character. If any such rule had obtained during our revolution, the United States would still be a dependency of Great Britain. Beyond this, it negates all our protestations of peace and at once makes us indirectly a part of little local wars."

POINCARÉ RE-ELECTED

Declares He Will Follow Out His Reparations Policy.

Paris, Jan. 7.—Premier Poincaré was re-elected senator from the Meuse district by the senatorial electoral college sitting at Bar le Duc, receiving 794 votes out of 810. After his election the premier addressed the electoral college, declaring: "Touched by this mark of confidence in the chair of your government, we will follow out the reparations policy which you have thus approved to and a peaceful triumph and complete execution of the peace treaty."

Under the French law one-third of the seats of the French senate expire each year, resulting in the election of senators from thirty-six districts, of which the premier's district was one. There were 229 candidates in the field for 36 seats. It is believed that the administration will gain five or ten seats through the elections.

CAPTAIN THOMAS SENN

In Command of the Giant Battleship West Virginia.



SEE GREAT YEAR AHEAD

Automobile Manufacturers Predict Big Increase in Production.

New York, Jan. 7.—The twenty-fourth annual automobile show in the great Bronx armory attracted to the metropolis a galaxy of important figures in the automotive industry here to supervise the showing of motor-dom's very newest creations. Pleasing surprises were provided the throng of first nighters that packed the armory when the big exhibition was formally thrown open. Innovations and changes, greater in number and import than ever enjoyed at any national exhibition, greeted visitors. Optimism is the order. Every manufacturer predicts an even greater year of business than the one just closed when production and sales reached an amazing total, topping the best previous year by 50 per cent. A composite of opinions voiced by several of the larger manufacturers forecasts a 15 per cent increase in production and sales over last year. According to this, the 1924 motor grist will approximate 4,600,000 motor vehicles.

WILL PROBE LATEST MOVIE SCANDAL

Hays, Head of Picture Producers, Arrives in Los Angeles.

Los Angeles, Jan. 7.—With the arrival here today of Will H. Hays, head of the Motion Picture Producers' and Distributors' association, a new investigation is scheduled to be launched into the shooting of Courtland S. Dines, in which Mabel Normand is said to have been involved.

A meeting of the organization has been called for tomorrow, at which the tragic climax of the gay party given by Dines at his apartment New Year's night, and all the circumstances surrounding it, will be the principal subject of discussion.

And, as a result, it was whispered in Hollywood, will come the ten commandments of 1924 for the film players of the motion picture capital—rules of conduct which they must observe if they hope to remain in the good graces of the organization. These, it is said, will be in the nature of definitions of the so-called "morality clause," now included in a great many of the contracts of picture stars.

This clause was inserted after the murder of William Desmond Taylor, the Arbuckle affair and other scandals of recent years, which have rocked the motion picture world. When Hays quit the job of postmaster general and became the head of the picture magnates' organizations, it was with the avowed purpose of "cleaning up the industry."

Detectives questioned Mrs. Edith Burns, companion of Miss Normand, in an effort to clear up several points in her story which conflicted with that of Horace Greer, the film star's chauffeur.

Reports from Good Samaritan hospital were to the effect that both Dines and Miss Normand are progressing favorably.

Bornn Holmes, formerly a prominent newspaper man of Cleveland, O., died at his home in Hollywood, Cal., after a long illness.

A mother and child lost their lives as the result of a fire starting around a whisky still in the home of Mrs. Michael Tiuko at Taylor, near Scranton, Pa.

HUGHES' STAND MADE KNOWN

Arms Shipments to Mexican Rebels Disapproved.

OFFICIAL DECLARATION MADE

Private Concerns Making Such Shipments Do So at Their Own Risk, the State Department Says—Mexican Government Expected to Register Strong Protest Against Shipments by Private Individuals.

Washington, Jan. 7.—The United States government opposes the shipment of arms by private interests to the De la Huerta revolutionary faction in Mexico, according to official announcement made by the state department.

Acting on instructions received from Secretary Hughes, the department of justice has advised its representatives in New Orleans that, while there is no legal obstacle to sales being made to De la Huerta, private individuals making such sales will act directly contrary to the policy of their government. Private concerns making such shipments do so at their own risk.

The significance of the state department announcement and the instructions of the department of justice is that, while sales of munitions to the De la Huerta faction are legally permissible, any American concern making such sales does so in spite of the American government's expressed disapproval. Moreover, the sales must be made entirely at the risk of the private individual concerned, who will have no recourse in case of loss arising under any circumstances whatever.

The Mexican government, it is understood, expects to register a strong protest against allowing any private individuals to sell munitions to the De la Huerta rebels. President Coolidge, it is pointed out here, has wide authority under existing law to proclaim an embargo against shipments of arms to the rebel forces. Such action would be regarded as in accord with the officially friendly attitude toward President Obregon assumed by the president and Mr. Hughes in allowing the Mexican government to purchase supplies from American army stocks.

The Mexican embassy here received a long message from Mexico City indicating that the federal forces are being augmented by civilian volunteers and are preparing for a decisive move against the rebels.

DISSOLVES CANCER CELLS

Austrian Doctors Prepare Specific Substance Out of a Culture.

Vienna, Jan. 7.—A medical journal here publishes the results of 10 years of study by Dr. Ernst Freund and Dr. Gisa Kaminer of causes of cancer, and especially of the sources from which malignant growths obtain the material for the continued growth.

The investigation of Drs. Freund and Kaminer proved that the blood serum of a normal person is able to dissolve cancer cells, but that the serum from cancer patients lacks this power, and in addition contains a substance which neutralizes the serum and protects the cancer cells from destruction.

The substances which dissolves the cancer cells has been isolated. It is found to be a saturated divalent organic acid, the formula of which is carbon 42, hydrogen 76, oxygen 7. The substance which protects cancer cells is found to be a nucleoglobulin, characterized by a special content of carbohydrate and unsaturated fatty acid.

Drs. Freund and Kaminer were able to prepare out of a culture a specific substance which dissolves the cancer cells.

Pogrom Leaders to Die

Moscow, Jan. 7.—At Jitomir, in the Ukraine, three pogrom leaders, who were responsible for the terrible Jewish massacres three years ago, were condemned to death. Among the convicted men who will be executed is the Ukrainian bandit chief, Peleliuk, who personally butchered and tortured scores of women and children in the Cherniakov pogroms.

McGannon Released

Columbus, Jan. 7.—William H. McGannon, former chief justice of the municipal court in Cleveland, was released from the Ohio penitentiary after serving 19 months of a one to 10-year sentence for perjury. McGannon was declared by Dr. Willis A. Whiteman, penitentiary physician, to be in a serious physical condition.

WILLIAM R. HOPKINS

New City Manager of Cleveland Takes Oath of Office.



DOINGS IN OHIO

Girl Slain For Revenge?

Canton, O., Jan. 7.—The mud clogged hands of a wrist watch pointing to 9:10 o'clock may solve the mystery shrouding the death of Miss Ruth Hunter, 19, who was found on a deserted road near here Wednesday night. The theory that the girl had been kidnaped was dissipated when neighbors testified that they had seen the girl enter an automobile at 8:30 p. m. apparently without coercion. The spot where the girl's body was found is a 40-minute drive from her home. A further revelation made was the discovery of the druggist who sold a large quantity of chloroform to a man several hours before the girl disappeared. Miss Hunter's family recently was accused of having turned a prominent bootlegger over to the authorities, and this fact, coupled with the finding of surgeons that the girl had not been attacked, leads the authorities to the theory that Miss Hunter may have been slain for revenge.

Shooting Held Accidental.

Cincinnati, Jan. 7.—Miss Laura Strauss Freiberg, 19, of this city, freshman of Wellesley college, who was found dead in an apartment near that of an aunt, met death by accidental shooting, according to the declaration of Coroner Handley. Miss Freiberg, who was home here for the holidays, died from the effects of a bullet wound while alone in the apartment. The coroner asserts he could find nothing upon which to base any theory except accidental shooting.

City Manager Takes Oath.

Cleveland, Jan. 7.—The salary of W. R. Hopkins, city manager of Cleveland under its new form of government, was placed at \$25,000 a year at a meeting of the Republican majority of the new city council. The same meeting also declared itself in favor of naming Clayton C. Townes mayor and president of the council. Mr. Hopkins was sworn in today.

Demand of Plasterers.

Columbus, Jan. 7.—Local plasterers are demanding a wage scale of \$12 a day, effective Feb. 1. About 30 general plastering contractors received notices to that effect. Wages for the eight-hour day of plasterers have ranged from \$11 to \$14, according to Herbert Bailey, business agent of Local No. 49, and this step is taken to standardize pay of workmen.

Race Horses Perish.

Dayton, O., Jan. 7.—Four race horses were burned to death in a fire which swept the racing stables of Walter Taylor at the Montgomery county fair grounds. Among the victims of the blaze was Al Forbes, 2:13 1/4, trained by Taylor, and three unnamed colts.

Burns Self to Death.

Delphos, O., Jan. 7.—Mrs. Elizabeth Grothe, 48, was burned to death here. Investigation disclosed that she built a bonfire in a woodshed and threw herself into the flames.

Brace of Fires.

Columbus, Jan. 7.—Fire destroyed the Valley Dale dance hall, near this city, with a loss of \$20,000. The Miller Rubber company's store was damaged \$50,000 by flames.

Harrison Sentenced.

Columbus, Jan. 7.—Three years in Ohio penitentiary and \$5,000 fine were imposed on Dwight Harrison by Common Pleas Judge Duncan. Harrison was convicted of making false and willfully exaggerated statements as to ownership of a subsidiary of the R. L. Dellings company of Ohio, of which he was formerly vice president and general counsel. Harrison will appeal.

TO TAKE ACTION WITHIN A WEEK

Envoys Would End Practice of "Diplomatic" Bootlegging.

DECIDE TO HOLD MEETING

Move Follows the Frequent Charges That Bootleggers Obtain Liquor From Certain Legations—Diplomats Would Clear Up the Situation at the Capital by Their Own Action. Anti-Saloon Leaders Gathering.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Foreign envoys on duty here will end the practice of diplomatic bootlegging.

Within the week the diplomatic corps will hold one of its infrequent meetings and take such action then as will make it unlikely that anyone enjoying immunity in the matter of obtaining liquor will take advantage of the privilege.

This action follows the frequent charge when a bootlegger is arrested that he obtained his liquor from a certain legation. The most recent development is the recent arrest of a person on a charge of selling liquor and finding in his possession a letter from an official in the Honduran legation referring to the sale of liquor. The state department and police now have this under investigation.

Just a week before a raiding party, in rounding up what is charged with being a bootleg ring, endeavored to confiscate \$50,000 worth of liquor when an attaché at the Polish legation intervened and claimed diplomatic immunity. His government since has made inquiry upon which to base a protest. Still earlier a rum leak scandal hovered about the Cuban legation. An arrest followed, but this did not involve any of the accredited representatives.

As a result of this situation a storm has broken out in congress and Secretary of State Hughes is required to write many letters a week to dry members of the house explaining just what is meant by "diplomatic immunity," and what may be done in the matter. He has made it plain that about the only redress the United States has is to ask the government responsible to recall its representative.

Fear that some irresponsible person attached to some legation may reflect on the diplomatic corps as a whole, and result in the government of the United States seeking further restrictions, the diplomats plan to see if they can not clean up the situation by their own action.

Even while the storm is gathering in congress the Anti-Saloon league advance guard is gathering here for the annual convention to begin Jan. 12. They plan to seek the truth on the whole question of prohibition enforcement, it was stated, and show that material progress has been made.

MODERNISTS SCORED

Baptist Ministers Hold Their Views Immoral and Anarchistic.

New York, Jan. 7.—Denominations were ignored in the church war raging over the virgin birth and resurrection of the body when three Baptist fundamentalists attacked views of modernists as dishonest, immoral, anarchistic and un-Christian.

Dr. I. M. Haldeman of the First Baptist church, Dr. John Roach Straton of Calvary Baptist and Dr. Frank M. Goodchild of Central Baptist led the assault on the modernists.

Dr. Haldeman was most bitter in his attack. He said of the modernists: "Their denial of the virgin birth is a conspiracy against the rising generation, and means the dissolution of Protestantism. He declared that if the claims of Christ as to the resurrection are not true, 'as the modern preacher says, then Christ was the greatest deceiver that ever fooled and mocked the sorrowing hearts of men.'"

"The preachers who deny these doctrines are bolsheviks and anarchists," he said. "They are the blind leaders of the blind, and both are heading for the same ditch of damnation."

Explorer Carter, 81.

Luxor, Jan. 7.—The tomb of King Tutankhamen remains closed owing to the indisposition of Howard Carter, the American Egyptologist in charge of the work. Carter's illness does not appear to be sufficient to cause any alarm, and it is stated that a two days' rest will help him recover sufficiently to go on with the urgent work which he had determined upon before leaving the country to carry out a number of engagements made for this spring.

AUTHORITY QUESTIONED

America to Claim All Land Amundsen May Find.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Lacking funds because the Norwegian government will not finance his spring airplane trip from Spitzbergen to Alaska, Roald Amundsen, the explorer, has agreed that the United States shall claim all the land he may find. This became known through the presence of a letter in navy department files, signed by H. H. Hammer, Norwegian consul at Seattle. Hammer signed a communication saying the United States was welcome to any discoveries. Secretary Denby acknowledged this offer with thanks and agreed to lend to the expedition Lieutenant Ralph Eugene Davison of Missouri, one of the best young flyers of the service. Now the question has arisen as to whether Hammer has the authority to guarantee such discoveries to the United States, and the matter may be referred to the state department for an opinion.

Took Overdose of Poison.

New York, Jan. 7.—"The city's got me. I couldn't beat it." That was the wane June Diamond Waters Brown summed up her life just before she died of an overdose of veronal, taken to make her sleep and forget. She was trying to forget the happy, beautiful girl of 18 who left a little town in Illinois 15 years ago for the city; forget her life as mistress of a Long Island mansion, the wife of a prosperous manufacturer, mother of a beautiful daughter, and forget the plunge into the galleries of the city that brought estrangement.

AUTHOR UNKNOWN

Peace Plan No. 1,469 Wins the Bok Prize of \$100,000.

New York, Jan. 7.—Plan No. 1,469 has been pronounced by the American peace award the best of more than 20,000 entered for the Edward K. Bok prize of \$100,000 for the best practical plan by which this country might co-operate with other nations to prevent war. Authorship of the plan will not be made known until a nation-wide referendum has been taken to determine whether the plan meets with support of America. The winning plan proposes first that the United States immediately should enter the permanent court of international justice, indorsed by the late President Harding, and second, without becoming a member of the league of nations as at present constituted, should offer to co-operate with the league, under certain conditions, as a body of mutual council.

MARKET REVIEW

Columbus, Jan. 7.—Market conditions during the past week are reviewed by the Ohio division of markets as follows:

LIVE STOCK AND MEATS—Chicago hog prices ranged from 15c to 35c higher than a week ago, closing at \$7.40 for the top and \$7.07 3/4 for the bulk. Medium and good beef steers 5c to 55c higher at \$8.40@11.35; butcher cows and heifers 25c higher at \$5.75@11; feeder steers steady to 25c lower at \$4.67 1/2; fat lambs 25c to 40c higher at \$1.75@13.90; feeding lambs steady at \$11@12.50; yearlings 50c net higher at \$9@12, and fat ewes 25c to \$1 higher at \$5@8.50. In eastern wholesale fresh meat markets beef, lamb and pork firm to \$1 higher, veal firm to \$2 up and mutton weak to \$1 lower. Jan. 5 prices, good grade meats: Beef, \$10@18; veal, \$14@20; lamb, \$21@23; mutton, \$13@16; light pork loins, \$13@16; heavy loins, \$10.50@13.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES—Potatoes generally 10c to 25c higher in city markets. Eastern round whites sold at \$1.75@1.90 sacked and bulk per 100 pounds in eastern cities, \$1.55 f. o. b.; sacked northern round whites \$1.26@1.40 in Chicago, \$1.10@1.20 f. o. b. Danish cabbage advanced \$7 to \$10 in New York and Philadelphia, closing at \$9@23, mostly \$22@25 f. o. b. New York and Philadelphia yellow onions fairly steady at \$2.25@2.75 sacked per 100 pounds in consuming centers. Apple markets dull. New York Baldwin \$3.00@3.25 per barrel in eastern markets, \$4.50 in New York for old storage stock; eastern York Imperials \$2@3.50 in Philadelphia and Baltimore; southwestern extra fancy wineapples \$2@2.50 per box in New York.

GRAIN—Grain markets higher for the week. Future markets rather irregular, but light receipts strengthened cash prices. Quoted Jan. 5: No. 1 dark northern spring wheat, Minneapolis \$1.13@1.22; No. 2 hard winter wheat, Chicago \$1.05; Kansas City \$1.10@1.11; No. 2 red winter wheat, St. Louis \$1.15; Kansas City \$1.11; No. 2 yellow corn, Chicago 72 1/2c; No. 3 yellow corn, St. Louis 71 1/2c; No. 3 white oats, Chicago 42 1/2c@44 1/2c; St. Louis 41 1/2c@46c, Minneapolis 40 1/2c.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter markets steady to firm during the week. Closing prices, 52 score: New York, Chicago and Boston 54 1/2c, Philadelphia 53 1/2c. Cheese markets unsettled during the week. Closing prices at Wisconsin primary markets Jan. 5: Twins 21 1/2c, single daisies 20c, double daisies 21 1/2c, young American 23 1/2c, longhorns 21 1/2c, square prints 21 1/2c.

HAY—Hay markets more active. Receipts generally light. Quoted Jan. 5: No. 1 timothy, New York \$20.50, Philadelphia \$23, Pittsburgh \$25.50, Chicago \$25, St. Louis \$27.50, Minneapolis \$27.50, Kansas City \$24.50. No. 2 timothy, Kansas City \$24.50, Minneapolis \$24.50, St. Louis \$24.50, Chicago \$24.50, Philadelphia \$24.50, Pittsburgh \$24.50, New York \$24.50.

THREE OF A KIND

By H. LOUIS RAYDOLD

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FOR several years Marcia Glen, Cora Bassett and Jerry St. Claire had taught adjoining rooms in the Webster Grammar school and were popularly supposed to possess similar tastes along all lines.

Only in one respect did they differ, and that was on the subject of the most desirable spot in which to pass the annual summer vacation.

Had you eavesdropped from Mrs. Bates' living room one June evening as the three chatted on the porch you would have heard them expressing their opinions thereupon along with Mrs. Bates' other boarders, from the Trumbull twins to Lacy Haskell, the eccentric bachelor who was so well-to-do that he had two halves of cantaloupe every morning by special order.

Marcia delivered herself definitely. "My hay fever will not stand any place but Bretton Woods. You know that, girls. I do wish you both—"

"It's futile to urge me," interrupted Cora briskly. "The surf, the crowds, the boardwalk—oh, what you miss shutting yourself up in the mountains! Ocean Grove for mine!"

Jerry, the youngest of the trio, swung a trimly shod foot from the couch hammock. "I," she told them, "am trying a new place. Oh, another Adirondack lake, of course."

This matter disposed of, the three turned to other subjects. One thing leading to another, the imminent wedding of a mutual acquaintance was arrived at.

"No more European trips for her," sighed Cora. "Her future husband doesn't make the money she does now!"

"What she can see in him worth the loss of her freedom and good times, beats me!" declared the decisive Jerry. "When I find a man that's such a paragon I'd sacrifice my entire life to be with him, I'll—I'll marry him."

"You're safe for a while," laughed Marcia comfortably. "I fancy we all are. Our married friends are not a stimulant to imitation. I wouldn't marry the best man living!"

"Nor I!" said Cora.

"Nor I!" said Jerry, explosively.

The morning following Marcia's arrival at her usual boarding place in

the White mountains she spent in putting away her carefully assembled wardrobe. That afternoon she selected a crisp, cool organdie, flounced and sashed, descended to the veranda and ran into Lacy Haskell imperturbably regarding Presidential peak and looking very attractive in flannels.

He explained his presence vaguely, but straightway dated up Marcia for tennis that afternoon, and from that moment proceeded to make such inroads upon her time that she lay awake nights wondering. Particularly as he had let her know almost deliberately that he never intended to marry, was a confirmed woman-hater and an inveterate egotist!

Three days later he was giving the boardwalk procession at Ocean Grove a critical survey. By his side Miss Cora Bassett beamed and glowed. True, Lacy had just been telling her of his pet aversion to marriage and the female sex in general. Yet wasn't he full of plans for the next few days which included her? Who could tell what might fall out? Cora all but clung to his arm, laughed heartily at his jokes, sent him oblique, coquettish glances.

Somehow or other, when Lacy from the stern of a canoe looked at the slim, kulcher-clad Jerry his pater about confirmed bachelorhood and distrust of her sex sounded rather inane. In the days that followed he found himself involved in a strange predicament. Jerry did not respond as the other two had to his attentions and the cooler she grew the more he wished she wouldn't.

He wanted Jerry for his wife and wanted her very much.

One afternoon—and he noticed it shortly after the arrival of the mail—Jerry was so very upish to him that his hopes fell thuddingly and he decided to know the worst.

She had already promised to go canoeing and he held her to her word. Guiding the craft to a sheltered cove sweet with evergreens, he rested his paddle across the gunwales and gazed somberly into Jerry's blue-gray eyes. Listlessly he put the age old question, sadly sure of the answer.

Followed a silence—then bitter speech from the girl. "Are you playing with me as you did with Marcia, and, as I heard this morning, with Cora as well? They both write how only the most desperate measures warranted off a proposal!"

Whatever were Lacy's inmost thoughts, he kept them to himself and rose like a hero to the occasion. There was but one road to take, that of confession, and he traveled it gal-

lantly from beginning to end. Twilight was dimming the lake when Jerry saw fit to forgive him, and they were started on their homeward way when Lacy, lifted to the seventh heaven, grinned teasingly.

"Perhaps my experiments did fail with the other two"—he did not let Jerry share his mental reservations in the matter—"but how about—"

"The third?" asked Jerry coolly "meaning me? Oh, I merely said I wouldn't marry the best man living. And what could Lacy say?"

City Lighting Modern.

Lighting up a whole city at night is quite a modern invention, although illumination was used in some of the ancient cities. Paris and London dispute the priority in the matter of modern street lighting. London claims to have lighted its streets with lanterns as early as 1414, but this contention is disputed. During the sixteenth century lanterns for street lighting were provided at the public cost in Paris.

Too Precious to Part With.

New paper guilder currency recently issued in Java by the Javasche bank was so admired by the Chinese and natives when first issued that it was hoarded. The notes were printed by an American company, and include 2½-guilder and 1-guilder denominations. They were intended to relieve the present scarcity of silver coins.

Orion.

The moonless night has a touch of frost, and is steely-clear. High and dominant amidst the Populations of the Sky, the restless and the steadfast alike, hangs the great Plow, lit with a hard radiance as of the polished and shining share.—Kenneth Grahame in "Pagan Papers."

Some Rare Fruits.

Among the productions of the Philippines are two delicious fruits unknown to the civilized world. The durian, as large as a coconut, contains a creamy, pulpy delicious custard. Another rare fruit is the mangosteen, but the exquisitely flavored liquid it contains cannot be preserved.

African Race Well Advanced.

The Wakumba, the leading Bantu tribe in Uganda, are the most highly civilized black race in Africa. They had a decimal system of calculation when first discovered by white men. They also understood iron working and had a considerable knowledge of music.

REALIZED ERROR TOO LATE

Old-Time Beggar's Pride Suffers a Fall When He Tackles Same Couple Twice.

There is pride in all trades. He was old and shambling and his eye was red, but it had a bit of a twinkle behind it. He pulled his mouth down.

"Could you help an old one to get just a cup of coffee now?" he asked, and touched his hat as he took the coin.

The couple he had approached (your expert panhandler tackles them in couples, for most men like to show their generosity when a woman is witness) turned the corner and then, perhaps for something forgotten, turned back after a quarter of a block.

The beggar had gone on, and then he too turned back. Once more he approached.

"Could you help an old one to get just a cup of coffee now?" he asked. "Did you already drink the cup I just bought you?" asked the man.

The beggar stopped short. He peered. His face fell. He snote his brow and turned on his heel and hurried off. And the laughing couple, looking back, saw him blushing to the back of his neck.

It was simply that he had wounded his own pride. To make such a blunder—tackling the same one twice and that inside of three minutes. He shuffled hurriedly and his step said as clearly as words, "Getting old! Getting old!"—New York Sun and Globe.

Persian Bread.

The Persian native bread today is very little different from that used a thousand years ago. The Persian oven is built of smooth masonry in the ground. The dough is formed into thin sheets about a foot long and two feet wide and slapped against the side of the oven. It bakes in a few minutes.

Look Out for Both of Them!

Look out for the one who talks most about Mars. His own words need to be weighed carefully. He is brother to the one who rushes through a crowd crying "thief"—he needs watching—and catching. Both fellows raise a dust for a purpose.—Exchange.

Lost Mining Camp.

Silver Mountain, once a famous mining camp of Idaho, is now deserted. Thirty years ago a syndicate decided the place had a wonderful future. Money was poured into the enterprise. The mill ran just ten days. The "mine" gave out.

Croaked His Delight.

A British Columbia reader says that while sitting alone in her home at night a big toad would hop in time after time and sit looking at her. As the toad visited her often, and she did not care to keep it in the house, she closed the door. One night she heard a queer little scratching at the wire screen of her window, and looking out to investigate saw her friend with his head pressed against the screen, having climbed three feet or more to reach the sill, and she says: "On exclaiming, 'Oh, you're there, old fellow,' he greeted me with a genuine croak, apparently delighted at seeing me."

A Slight Error.

He was a very patient and long-suffering young man, but when at last she arrived at the corner where they had arranged to meet he ventured a remonstrance.

"Darling, you are late," he said, mildly.

"Only a few minutes," she protested in an injured tone. "I said I'd be here at 7 o'clock and it's only twenty minutes past."

"Oh," sighed the young man, "then you must have mistaken the day. I've been waiting here since last night."

Wonderful Worm.

Little Jeanette was in the park with her grandmother when she saw a "daddy-long-legs" for the first time. "Oh, grandma!" she cried, "here is a worm that walks on his whiskers with his face in the middle."

Eating the Nimble Locust.

Locusts are today eaten in Arabia, pretty much as they were in the time of John the Baptist. Foreigners as well as natives declare that they are really an excellent article of diet.

Sun's Wonderful Heat.

The heat produced by a given surface of the sun is 400 times greater than that which is given off by the same surface of molten iron.

Their Use.

If there were fewer fools about, the world would be a much more pleasant place to live in. Only it would be harder to make a living.

Big Name, Tiniest Plant.

There is a plant called volvox globator so minute that millions of them could be placed in a small wine glass.

Jed Tunkins. Jed Tunkins says one reason an eight-hour day seems so long is that it gets monotonous watchin' the clock.

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Read Meaning of Word "Bible."

Almost any child that has attended a religious school knows that the word Bible means book, but it really means "books," as the collection bound within one volume is a library of books written during more than 20 centuries.

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SPAN OF LIFE GREATER
BY OVER THREE YEARS

Prophecy Made Last Year Being
Borne Out by U. S. Figures.

New York.—Fulfillment of a prophecy that the average span of life in this country could be lengthened by 20 years in half a century has begun, says a statement issued by the National Health council. Proof of this is shown in the latest figures of the United States census bureau, which reveal a gain of three and a third years in the average length of life during 1921.

The prophecy, made at the annual meeting of the American Public Health association last year, is being borne out by a gain in the average span of life from 54 2-3 years during 1920 to 58 years during 1921, this improvement being greater than for the entire ten years, 1910-1920. Furthermore 1921 gives us the lowest death rate the country has ever had.

Eminent scientists will carefully analyze these figures when the American Child Health association holds its annual convention in Detroit from October 15 to 17. Two other members of the National Health council will hold conventions about the same time, the American Public Health association meeting in Boston from October 8 to 11 and the American Social Hygiene association in St. Louis, October 18 and 19.

Increase in the average length of life during the earlier years are almost lost in the middle-age group, and the National Health council is seeking to offset this by waging a campaign to have every one go on his birthday to his family physician for a thorough physical examination. By doing this, the council asserts, serious organic diseases can be detected and prevented. "Three out of four apparently healthy persons examined reveal physical impairments of which they are ignorant and which are usually easily remediable or preventable. And if 10,000,000 American citizens will go this year to their doctors for health examinations, the prophecy will be more than fulfilled," says the council.

Chicago "Cop" Given
Hot Wedding Reception

Chicago.—Society note: Vincent Johnson, secretary to Capt. James McCann of the Maxwell street station, was married recently to Miss Elizabeth Hally of 4650 West Adams street. Police report: Vincent Johnson was taken into custody by the Fillmore street police as he was leaving St. Mel's church with his bride. The charge was stealing an automobile belonging to Captain McCann. Prisoner released when captain explained Johnson had borrowed the machine saying he wanted to take his mother to the depot.

Fire report: False alarm turned in from 4650 West Adams street. Some kind of celebration in progress. One Vincent Johnson appeared overheated, but no evidence of fire.

Medical report: Police pulmotor squad called to 4650 West Adams street. Patient, Vincent Johnson, reported overcome, revived before squad arrival. No service rendered.

Arrivals and departures: Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Johnson, newly wed, left town last night, Johnson saying he was going to a place where "a lot of bone-headed, flat-footed coppers don't interfere with a guy's nuptials."

Prison Reform Brings
Results in England

London.—Prison reform is popular just now in England, where it used to be regarded as purely an American notion. The latest thing in prison reform has been adopted in Wakefield jail, with excellent results, it is said. Scarcely a warder is to be seen. To maintain order the prefect system of the English public schools has been adopted, and there is no restraint on conversation at meal times.

The men all have allotments. They work in pairs—a man who knows something of gardening being coupled with a man who knows nothing about it.

Every prisoner who does well is allowed to grow a border of flowers to decorate his "room," as the cells are called.

There is plenty of work done—nine hours' manual, two hours' mental.

Work is arranged under expert instructors in the weaving shed, foundry, builders' yard and other workshops.

One hour a week is devoted to discussion of happenings in the outside world on all topics except crime.

Proves Lobster Goes
Mile-a-Day Under Water

Hartford, Conn.—Proof that a lobster is capable of traveling at least a mile a day under water has been established by a record of a certain lobster kept by the state board of fisheries and game. The board has undertaken to tag every ripe egg-bearing lobster released by its agents. A lobster released at Noank on July 14 was tagged at Waten Hill, nine miles away, on July 23.

Chicago People Move Often.

Chicago.—About 1,285,000 people change their dwelling places in Chicago every year, according to statistics compiled here. These totals were reached by figuring four and one-quarter members to a family, and the records show that more than 300,000 families move annually.

KASS GOT 85 NEW MEMBERS

Detroit Legion Worker Won Trip to
National Convention for His
Rapid-Fire Hustling.

John Kass, a member of the Charles A. Learned post of the American Legion in Detroit, made the Legion national hall of fame recently when he enrolled 85 new members for his post. As a prize for winning the contest he received a trip to the Legion national convention in San Francisco with all transportation expenses paid by the post.

The most formidable rival Kass developed in the contest which lasted about two and one-half months was "Pete" Kolbe who obtained 65 members. Both of the contestants worked hard during the last four days of the race. Kolbe obtained 13 new members, but this record was beaten by Kass who speeded up the home stretch and recruited 36 Legionnaires, or nine a day during that period.

The two successful membership



John Kass.

"getters" obtained some valuable information during the contest. One of the surprising bits of information was that the reason why many veterans have not joined the Legion is because they have never been asked to enter the organization. Legion officials cite this fact as a demonstration of the necessity for a more active canvass of former service men.

Both Kass and Kolbe signed up scores of veterans for the Legion in previous membership contests.

MAY ADMIT FORMER ENEMIES

Owsley Favors Permitting Germans,
Austrians and Russians to Enter
Veterans' Federation.

Alvin Owsley, national commander of the American Legion, created a sensation in veterans' circles when he asked allied veterans to dismiss passion and hatred from their hearts and plan to admit German, Austrian and Russian World war fighters into the Interallied Veterans' Federation.

"Surely there must be some way in which we can speak to the men we fought and make them realize there is a better way of living among nations than continuing battling one another," Commander Owsley declared at the recent convention of the federation in Brussels. "How can we wish to deal with our former enemies if we haven't the moral courage to get together in peace? Maybe there has been no change of heart among our former enemies. Perhaps there never will be unless we are men enough to undertake to carry to them our peace message. France and Belgium positively are entitled to reparations, but hoarding and keeping in our heart ancient prejudices will not bring the peace we earned by our victory."

Charles Bertrand, president of the federation, representing the views of France and Belgium, indicated that he would favor admittance of the men from the enemy countries as soon as they evinced a desire to pay reparations.

AUXILIARY IS TO HAVE HOME

Alma (Kan.) Organization, With Only
Twenty-five Members in Small
Town, Sets Example.

A memorial home, for use by all townspeople is the objective of a unit of the American Legion Auxiliary in Alma, Kan. The building, which the women workers of the organization propose to erect, will contain an auditorium, a gymnasium, and a service kitchen. On the second floor, quarters for the Legion and for the Auxiliary will be established. While the erection of such a home is not unusual in auxiliary circles, it is an extraordinary undertaking in the case of this unit, which has a membership of 25, in a town of only 789 inhabitants. The women own a site for the proposed home purchased at a cost of \$900, and plan early erection of the community memorial.

A La Carte.

We had quarreled at our dinner. Though I ordered quite a spread. "It's the woman does the paying." She snapped, "when all is said." Then I tossed the check right at her. And I left her in a daze. "Have your way," I sadly snorted. "Here's one time the woman pays." —American Legion Weekly

Massed Bands at Convention.
Massed bands from eight Ohio cities furnished music at a special concert at the annual convention of the American Legion held in Springfield. More than 850 musicians participated.

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COMMISSIONERS

Met in Regular Weekly Session Monday and Approved Bills.

The following bills were approved by the county commissioners Monday, December 31:

Z. P. Adkins, certifying burial of Catharine Wood	\$ 1 00
J. L. Bauer, certifying burial of Thomas Sample	1 00
Columbus Blank Book Co., dog application	42 00
Consumers Paper Co., rags for surveyor	10 56
Ben Dumm, assisting county surveyor	3 00
H. D. Fetherolf, repairing bridges	16 50
Charles F. Geller, oil and turpentine	9 50
H. G. Griner, expense account	1 35
W. & L. E. Gurley, dies for deputy sealer	5 97
Morris Hafez, certifying burial Thomas Sample	1 00
A. W. Kirkpatrick, burial of Catharine Wood	100 00
S. W. McGath, certifying burial Catharine Wood	1 00
Ben Metzger, labor on Sisk road	50 25
Ohio State Reformatory, typewriter chair	9 50
Pickaway Water Co., water rent for quarter	133 80
Pickaway Water Co., water for county garage	1 85
Remington Typewriter Co., adjusting machine	1 10
E. F. Schlegel, burial of Thomas Sample	100 00
Cash Sowers and others, labor on roads	74 00
United Chemical Co., metal glass for janitor	2 665

HIGH SCHOOL DINNER.

A dinner will be served at the high school Thursday evening, January 10, from 5 to 7 o'clock for the benefit of the high school.

High School Parent-Teachers' Association.

Old Oil Well.

On a trip through western Virginia, George Washington came upon what he called an "oil spring." He was so struck with the possible usefulness of this oil that in his last will he called the special attention of his trustees, to the matter. Right here, it might be said, was the first awakening of interest in petroleum production in the United States—an industry the development of which gave us an output of \$56,000,000 barrels in the last year.

A SPECIAL SUMMONS TO KLANSMEN

Closed meeting January 8, 1924, at 7:30 sharp. Very important meeting. It is to the interest of every man to be present. Receiving charter and also the election of officers.

As to place where meeting is to be held, inquire at H. E. Betz & Son, corner of Court and Main street, Circleville, Ohio.

H. A. YATES

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LEGAL NOTICE OF BOND SALE

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the City Auditor of the City of Circleville, Ohio, until 12 o'clock, noon of Tuesday, Fifth Day of February, 1924 for the purchase of bonds of the said City of Circleville, in the aggregate sum of SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$7,500) dated December 1, 1923. Said bonds shall be numbered from one to fifteen, both inclusive and shall also be serially numbered from 1 to 15, both inclusive, and each one of said 15 bonds shall be of the denomination of \$500 and shall bear interest at the rate of five and one-half per cent per annum and the first interest shall become due and payable on the first day of September, 1924 and annually each year thereafter on the first day of March and September until the principal sum is paid. Said bonds shall mature as follows: The principal of each bond is for the sum of \$500. Bond No. 1 becomes due September 1, 1925, and one bond of \$500 matures in their numerical order on the first day of September of each year thereafter, until September 1, 1929, on which date the last bond—Bond No. 15 matures. The proceeds of said bonds are to be used for remodeling, re-roofing and improving the City Building for office purposes according to the plans, specifications, profiles and estimates prepared by Stribling & Lum which are on file in the office of the Director of Public Service for public inspection. Said bonds are issued under authority of the laws of Ohio and especially of Section 3339 of the General Code of Ohio and under and in accordance with a certain ordinance enacted by the City of Circleville, Ohio, for the purpose of re-modeling, re-roofing and improving with suitable materials the City Building for office purposes being ordinance No. 465 passed by Council in an adjourned session on the 23d day of November, 1923. Said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder for not less than par and accrued interest to date of delivery. All bids must state the number of bonds bid for and the gross amount of bid and accrued interest to date of delivery. All bids to be accompanied with a certified check payable to the treasurer of said city for five per cent of the amount of bonds bid for, upon condition that if the bid is accepted the bidder will deposit and pay for such bonds as may be issued as above set forth, within ten days from the time of award, said check to be retained by the city if said condition is not fulfilled. City reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Bids should be sealed and endorsed "Bids for City Remodeling Bonds" ELIA LINDSEY, City Auditor.

January 7, 1924.

FIRST OF TEXAS RANGERS

Mounted Police of Canada the Only Other Similar Body of Men in America.

The mounted police of Canada is the only other similar organization to the Texas Rangers on this continent. The service of the rangers is more effective than that of the regular soldiers, for they pay less consideration to the possibilities of international complications.

"Killed in resisting arrest" is a very frequent report of a ranger, and it is always considered a satisfactory explanation of the death of an outlaw or criminal attempting to evade arrest.

The original rangers came into existence in the early days of the state, along about 1840, in the neighborhood of San Antonio. To affiliate with this band it was absolutely necessary for a man to possess courage, to be a splendid rider and an unerring shot, and to have a fleet horse worth at least \$100. For this he was remunerated by the state with the sum of \$1 a day.

The ranger was usually clothed in buckskin and wore a broad-brimmed hat. For his accoutrement three or four revolvers and as many bowie knives were thrust through his belt and a short rifle was thrown across his arm. Years of fierce border warfare had insured them to every hardship and had prepared them for every eventuality.—Detroit News.

MUST BUY OR KIDNAP BRIDE

Natives in Bali, an island of the Indian Archipelago, Must Succeed or Suffer Consequences.

Marriage in Bali, an island of the Indian archipelago, is a matter of purchase or of capture. An exchange of ardent glances in temple or market place, and perhaps a few clandestine meetings, tell the lover if the lady is not averse to abduction. He knows, however, that if he is caught in the act of carrying her off her willingness will not satisfy father or brother; so he lays his plans carefully and smuggles her away in absolute secrecy.

After a few days in hiding the groom sends a friend to his bride's parents to ask their forgiveness. Though the messenger invariably is received with great show of hostility, the culprits usually are forgiven. But if the third visit of the "go-between" is without result the lover and his bride are doomed to banishment from their village and people.

Broke Power of Indians.

King Philip's war was the name given to a desperate attempt made by Philip, son of Massasoit, sachem of the Wampanoags, to exterminate the white settlers of New England because of real and imaginary wrongs committed by them.

The war broke out July 4, 1675, with an attack on Swansea, R. I., and continued with varying fortune until August of the following year. The Indians finally were defeated, and Philip, becoming a fugitive, was shot in a swamp by a renegade Indian, and his son sold into slavery in Bermuda. It is said that thirteen towns and 600 dwellings were destroyed and 600 colonists killed. As a result of King Philip's war the power of the Indians was completely broken in New England.—Detroit News.

Seventy-Year-Old Steamer.

Geelong to Melbourne, the capital of Victoria, Australia, is about fifty miles, and two vessels make the return trip every day, the steamship Courier and the steamship Edina. The Edina was built in 1853, about seventy years ago, as a sailing vessel, trading between Leith, Hull and Hamburg. In 1868 the Edina was used as a blockade-runner between England and America, carrying arms one way and cotton the other. In 1864 she conveyed 350 miners to Australia, en route to the New Zealand gold fields. After that the Edina was fitted out as a steamer, in a manner then considered "palatial," and placed in the Queensland trade. Since 1880 she has been running from Geelong to Melbourne, and if less speedy than boats of later construction, the seventy-year-old Edina is still dependable.

Gleaning Bell.

In some of the Lincolnshire (England) villages the "gleaning bell" is still rung at sunset every day during the harvest operations, as a signal that the gleaners can begin their ancient occupation. The ringer is entitled to levy toll of one penny per gleaner for his services, or sometimes the payment is made in kind. The custom of supplying plenty of food and ale to harvesters is also a survival of the olden days when the "victual rules" provided that every reaper was entitled to claim from his employer a drinking and bread and cheese in the morning, a dinner of roast meat and other good victuals, two drinkings in the afternoon, and drink always during the work, as their needs required.

Uninteresting Item.

A traveler who had stopped in Springfield, Ill., was being piloted along the route by a loquacious but somewhat tiresome cab driver, who insisted on regaling him with local news of little interest to strangers. As they passed one house the jehu pointed the butt of his whip at it and remarked:

"Lincoln's home."
"Is he, indeed?" returned the traveler, bored, but still polite.—Kansas City Star.

AT THE COURT HOUSE

Grand Jury.

The grand jury convened this morning. The personnel of the jury is as follows: Frank Valentine, Charles Phillips, J. T. Timmons, Russell Wardell, Turney Woolaver, David Six, John Mack, Victor Ater, R. L. Brehmer, Ralph Boggs, Walter Parker, J. T. Brinker, James Baldwin, W. K. Salter and John Pickle. Nine cases were introduced on transcript and so far, 71 witnesses were called. Judge Judge Curtin appointed R. L. Brehmer, as foreman.

Appointed Administrator.

T. A. Boor has been appointed administrator of the estate of the late Louis C. Hoover, of Harrison township, in probate court. The estate is estimated to be worth \$20,000 of which \$4000 is personal. Mr. Boor executed a bond of \$6000. The following persons were appointed appraisers: W. H. Plum, David Six and J. R. Hott.

Marriage License

Cary Johnson, 39, Pickaway township, farmer, and Maggie Chandler, 45, Pickaway township.

RIGHT ARM BROKEN.

Herbert Melvin, son of Mrs. Henry Melvin, of Jackson township, sustained a fracture of his right wrist Saturday, while cranking a school truck. The fracture was reduced by Dr. B. R. Bales.

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LEGAL NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Pythian Castle Association company at the K. of P. hall in the city of Circleville, Ohio, on Monday, January 7, 1924, at 8:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year.

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NOTICE.

The Benevolent association will meet at the cottage Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock.

Nature's Stern Law.

Achievement of whatever kind is the crown of effort, the diadem of thought. By the aid of self control, resolution, purity, righteousness, and well directed thought a man ascends; by the aid of animalty, indolence, impurity, corruption, and confusion of thought a man descends.—Allen.

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BAZAAR, MARKET AND RUMMAGE SALE

The annual Bazaar, Market and Rummage sale of the Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church, will be held for a week or ten days, beginning on Monday, January 28 in the City building in the room formerly occupied by the Hosler Packing company. Watch for future announcements. 2janyd5.

First National Bank.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National bank of Circleville, Ohio, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and such other business as may properly come before it, will be held at the office of the First National bank, of Circleville, Ohio, on Tuesday, January 8, 1924, at two o'clock P. M.

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ANNUAL ELECTION.

The stockholders of the Forest Cemetery association will meet at the court house on Monday, January 28, 1924, at 7 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing directors and the transacting of such other business as may properly come before the association.

J. R. FLORENCE

24dec24.

Secretary.

The Blanks Explained.

A strange phenomenon was observed when taking some exceptionally rapid pictures in New Jersey recently; every third film was found to be blank and on inquiring into the cause it was discovered that alternating current had been used for illumination and that the novograph had actually photographed the alternations of the current, which are too rapid to be perceived by the eye.

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COMBS OF WOOD

Women of Ancient Egypt Used
Boxwood Ornaments.

Prof. S. J. Record of Yale University
Describes Various Kinds of Wood
Used Centuries Ago.

The tresses of a pharaoh's daughter were dressed with combs of wood, says Prof. S. J. Record of Yale university, who recently made a study of the different kinds of woods used by the ancient Egyptians. These combs were made of boxwood, which was much used for carving by the early Egyptians, and they were not greatly dissimilar to some of the combs which adorn the women of the Twentieth century.

"As one wooden object after another from the tomb of Tut-Ankh-Amen has been described and pictured in the public press, many questions have arisen," writes Mr. Record. "What kinds of woods are these? Whence did they come? What preservatives have kept them sound for thousands of years? How can these woods be identified today?"

Professor Record's studies included the woods representative of the period from 2900 B. C. to 1200 B. C. Wood played an important part in the lives of these Egyptians and it had to be hauled very long distances. Cedar he found to be one of their most prized woods, the most famous species being the cedar of Lebanon, which is no myth, as some are inclined to believe.

The Egyptians used cedar extensively for coffins, boxes, large effigies and for such general purposes as we use white pine. They also used cypress, another wood of great durability. The gopher wood used in making the Ark of the Covenant was probably cypress, according to Professor Record.

The yew, a tree noted for its durability as the cedar and the cypress, was used by the Egyptians in the making of bows, carvings and small implements. Sycamore was used for mummy cases, but the sycamore of the ancients was a fig, an evergreen timber tree sometimes called a fig mulberry.

These species were employed where large sizes were demanded, while in the manufacture of smaller articles the Egyptians used such local growth as was available, which apparently was limited to tamarisk, alder and other minor species. The Egyptians were skilled woodworkers, cabinet makers and wood carvers.

Wood veneering is not an ultra-modern accomplishment, but it is in fact a practice of venerable antiquity. It was developed by the Egyptians several thousand years before the birth of Christ. Professor Record found an admirable example of this craftsmanship in the coffin of the monarch Nephthys from Meir, displayed in the Ninth Egyptian room of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York.

That these woods used by the Egyptians have endured the centuries, Professor Record attributes to the dry climate of Egypt and not to any preservatives employed. Professor Record identified the different woods by subjecting them to intensive study under the microscope and comparing their cell structure with that of the species as found growing today.—American Forestry Magazine.

Across Empty Continent.

Two explorers, seventy-year-old twins, by the bye, have just crossed Australia from south coast to north coast and back, covering nearly 6,000 miles in 67 days with three motor cars. The explorers passed through vast stretches of country without sign of man or beast, an experience, Captain White considers, which most strikingly justifies the late Lord Northcliffe's lament over the folly and menace of the "Empty Continent." Mr. McCallum, one of the two brothers, says he was amazed at the abundance of fertile country through which they passed in the interior, and mentions one plain, 150 miles long and extending east and west as far as the eye can see, consisting of splendid alluvial soil. They passed through superb pastoral areas with many rivers available for huge irrigation schemes, but the development of these lands would be absolutely dependent upon the building of a direct north-south transcontinental line.

The Fond Parent.

The boy who had scratched his name on the paint of the stationary motor-car had been soundly cuffed by the owner.

Attracted by the loud howling which resulted, a crowd soon gathered, through which the father of the boy pushed his way.

"Who struck my son?" he demanded furiously. "Show me the man!" The motorist stepped forward. He was 6 feet 2 inches in height and 49 round the chest.

"I did," he said. "Served him right, sir," said the man, touching his cap. "I'll give him another hiding when I get him home."

On the Safe Side.

"I see you have put lightning rods on your new barn."

"Had to do it," answered Farmer Cornstossel.

"You said years ago that lightning rods were useless."

"Yep. Science has been mighty busy since then. If they kin prove that the old law of gravitation ain't workin' any more there's no tellin' but what they've given us a new kind of electricity."

When Harvard Ran a Lottery.
Does it make you shudder to recall that in 1772 Harvard college, instead of asking for subscriptions from the alumni for a fund, raised £3200 by lottery "for building another hall for the students of Harvard college to dwell in"?—Boston Globe.

Strange If True.

The olive oil product of Spain varies greatly from year to year and there is a notion among the growers that the yield is always greater in the even numbered years.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Scioto Building & Loan company will be held Monday evening, January 7, 1924 at 8 o'clock at the city building for the purpose of electing a board of directors.

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Costly Rainy Day.

It has been calculated that the cost of a rainy day in New York city is something like \$100,000.

The Pity of It.

First lady—"Why, didn't you know my husband was a great optimist?" Second lady—"No. What a pity! He could have had the order I gave for a pair of spectacles for my husband only last week!"

His One Wish.

Mrs. Honey—"I can read you like a book, William." Mr. H—"Then I wish you'd do more reading and less questioning."

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SOME NIGHT SHIRT TALES

Epidemic of Men's Lost Garments Leads to Suspicion They Were Left in Sleepers on Purpose.

There has been an epidemic of lost night shirts in the Detroit district recently.

The first tale of a shirt involves an elderly woman who called at the office and was anxious for the return of a night shirt which she said her son had left on a pullman. It should be easy to discover, said she, as it was made of heavy blue and white flannel. It was located and when the clerk was wrapping it up she remarked, with a grim look, that she felt sure her son, who had failed to appreciate the article—her gift, too—had left it on the car on purpose, but—"as long as Tom's home, he's going to wear it." Judging from the tone in which she delivered this ultimatum, Tom will wear it until he takes another trip and manages to lose it on another pullman car—far, far from home.

A passenger bereft of his night attire wrote in a plaintive plea for its return, saying, "The weather is cold and the tails of the shirt are long, so please rush by return mail." Unless he has been careless once more he has leg comfort at night, for the shirt was returned immediately.

A traveling man who reported the loss of his night shirt said somewhat pathetically that it was the only one he had with him, he had to have it because he didn't dare to go home without it and it ought to be easy to find because it was red flannel. Noticing the look of incredulity on the face of the lost property clerk he explained that he was a forgetful cuss, that he was always leaving night shirts on the train, and that his frugal and ingenious wife had decided that to break him of his habit he should have shirts that even a blind man could not overlook, so she built him one of red flannel—and he had lost it on the first trip.—Pullman News.

SOWING OF DRAGON'S TEETH

According to Greek Myth Thebes Was Built by Soldiers Who Came From the Ground.

Some strange things are contained in the myths. One of them is the Greek story of the sowing of the dragon's teeth.

At the bidding of the oracle of Apollo, Cadmus set out with a party of retainers to found the city of Thebes. The sacred serpent of Mars captured the retainers, killed them and itself was killed by Cadmus.

A voice instructed Cadmus to remove the monster's teeth and sow them in a field. As he completed this task points of spears broke through the cloud, then helmets, then armor-clad bodies of men, until a host of warriors stood in the field.

"Meddle not with our civil war," said one of the warriors as Cadmus advanced to meet what he thought was a new array of enemies.

Thereupon the warriors began to fight among themselves until all except five were killed. These five joined Cadmus and helped him to build Thebes.—London Answers.

Form of Punishment in 1618.

The custom of punishing a culprit by forcing him to "run the gauntlet" is said to have originated in the Thirty Years' war (1618-48), and to have been adopted by European armies as a mode of punishment. The culprit, stripped to the waist, was obliged to run repeatedly between two lines of soldiers facing each other. Each soldier struck at him with a short stick or switch.

The word "gauntlet," as here used, has the meaning usually given it—that of an iron glove—is simply a corruption of gantlopp or gatlopp, and is derived from the Swedish gatlopp, meaning "running down a lane." Some etymologists, however, derive the word from the German gassenlaufen, which means "running the lane," and others from the Dutch gangloppen, having the same meaning.

A Many-Sided Problem.

"Betty!" called the young mother. "Yes, ma'am," came from the nurse.

"When the baby has finished his bottle, lay him in the cradle on the right side. After eating, a child should always lie on the right side. That relieves the pressure on the heart. Still (reflectively) the liver is on the right side. Perhaps, after all, you'd better lay him on the left side. No, I'm sure the book said, 'right side.' On the whole, Betty, you may lay the baby on his back till I have looked the matter up more thoroughly."

Against Evil Gases.

The United States bureau of mines, informing the public against the use of masks against obnoxious gases, etc., says that gas masks are the simplest and easiest to wear, but they protect only in comparatively low concentrations of obnoxious gases and should never be used where the air contains less than 16 per cent of oxygen.

So There, Smarty.

The difference between a woman and a man is that the woman reflects without the man speaks without reflecting.

"You are a very good girl, and you are very polished."—Auckland News.

AMUSEMENTS

Bringing paintings to life!

That is the feat Herbert Brenon accomplished in filming "The Rustle of Silk," his initial Paramount picture featuring Betty Compson and Conway Tearle, which comes to the Met theater Monday.

The producer wished to introduce a small historical retrospect into the action. For this purpose he chose two of the loveliest of Fragonard's Louis XV paintings and literally brought them to life on the screen.

One of these paintings shows a beauty of the period reposing in a swing in an exquisite garden of that day; the second is called "La Lecture" and pictures a young gallant of the day reading to the lady of his heart.

Brenon and his scenarists developed a small play-within-a-play from these two paintings, with Betty Compson and Conway Tearle in the chief roles. Every detail of both pictures was exactly reproduced before the camera, including the formal garden and the lavish costumes.

To carry out the illusion of bringing the paintings to life, the cameraman resorted to an intricate photographic process, whereby the spectator first sees the original painting and then dissolves into the same picture peopled with the actors, but retaining the frame which encircled the original painting. The entire effect is of the people of the picture coming to life and moving about on the screen.

"The Rustle of Silk" is the story of a humble daughter of the people who falls in love with a great statesman, who subsequently becomes Prime Minister of England. The girl is the great-granddaughter of a French noble woman, and Brenon's historical cutbacks not only add to the beauty of the picture but are of dramatic value to the finished photoplay.

Hotel Stenographer

BY ROE FULKERSON



"Ain't they got no mothers?" asked Kelly, thrusting his thumb over his shoulder.

"Kelly," the Hotel Stenographer locked three flap pers over carefully, "the chances are that each of 'em has a mother and that each mother is proud of each one of them."

"Kelly, you are old-fashioned. You think about the hand-spanked and personally ear-boxed children of a decade ago, when you were getting your own trousers bruised with a piece of plank instead of a whisk broom."

"Mothers of today bring up their daughters the way they would have liked to go when they were young themselves. The long cigaret holders they puff at would have made their mothers mighty happy, but when they grew up, it was not considered the right thing."

"Their mothers were pinched in castings of whalebone. They knew what it meant to get home, shed their armor, and rub their ribs to get the creases out. So they are willing to let these kids be uncorseted and graceful."

"Their mothers would have like an afternoon tea and dance with tea hounds, whose papas have been so successful that their sons are bound to be failures, except as teachers of fancy dancing."

"Their mothers would have liked automobiling on the good roads, too. Of course, there were no automobiles in those days, neither were there any good roads. The flapper has both."

"Every mother is confident her daughter will not do anything to disgrace any one. How could she, with the mother she had? Now and then a mother comes down off her high horse with a dull sickening thud, when her daughter gets arrested for bootlegging, but that is a mere bag of shells as the novelist says."

Circleville Savings & Banking Co.

The regular meeting of the stockholders of the Circleville Savings & Banking company of Circleville, Ohio for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year and such other business as may properly come before it, will be held at the office of the Circleville Savings & Banking company, of Circleville, Ohio, on Wednesday, January 9, 1924, between the hours of 3 and 4 o'clock p. m.

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Bible Thought for Today

THE LAWYER'S QUESTION.—Master, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?

ODD SEA ANIMAL

Soldier Crab and His Habits Described by Writer.

Is a Terrible Glutton and Desperate Fighter—Will Battle to the Death for Home.

Of all the queer creatures that live in the sea, there is none stranger than the hermit crab, or the soldier crab, as he is sometimes called, says Mary Dunderidge. The second name is better than the first, for the hermit crab is neither pious nor dignified, as a hermit should be, and he does not live alone, as we shall see later. He is, on the contrary, a terrible glutton and a desperate fighter; for he lives in a world of hungry creatures, all anxious to eat and not to be eaten, and he does not intend to be eaten if he can by any means avoid it.

And in order that he shall not be eaten, it is first of all necessary that he shall get himself a house. Nature has been rather unkind to him, for, while all his cousins of the crab family are clad in coats of mail, and many of his neighbors in the sea are able to build themselves strong and beautiful houses, he has no tools with which to build and no armor except on the front part of his body. So he is obliged to take refuge in a strong tower that some one else has built, and in his search for it, he does not trouble himself much about questions of right and wrong. If no one has a claim on the house that he wants, well and good; but in any case, he must have a safe place to live in.

If, therefore, he finds any one in possession of the coveted stronghold, he does not scruple, if the unfortunate tenant is weaker than himself, to pull him out and make a meal of him. If this tenant happens to be a brother hermit, there is sure to be a royal row. The pair sometimes fight to the death, and the victor may devour the vanquished. In many cases, however, it has been observed that the upshot of the fracas is simply an exchange of shells, the defeated party taking possession of the abandoned fortress of his enemy. And after all the fuss, the victor very likely finds that the new house does not suit him and he must look for another.

The hermit crab has a great fancy for the shell of the whelk; but in case of necessity he will take up with anything hollow, even an old pipe or bottle. When shells are plentiful, however, he is as particular as any housekeeper looking for a flat. When he finds an apartment that appears satisfactory, he examines it very carefully, holding it off at arm's length, turning it around and poking his claws inside. Having finally decided that it will do, he comes out of his old shell and darts into the new so quickly that it is almost impossible to see him do it, for he has no mind to expose his soft body to the dangers of the sea. He hangs onto his old shell till he is sure the new one will do, and often changes his abode several times before he is satisfied.—St. Nicholas Magazine.

More Women Enter U. S.

For ten years there has been a steady increase in the proportion of women to men among the immigrants from all parts of Europe. Last year, for the first time since immigration statistics have been kept, there were more women than men admitted to the country. The proportion is partially explained by the fact that immigrants of former years have prospered and are now sending for their mothers, wives and daughters to join them. Despite the increasing number of women coming in there is no apparent relief for the household help problem. A trifling proportion of these women take up domestic work. Many of them enter factories. Statistics show that of the women immigrants comparatively few are trained for any kind of employment. The same condition is found among the men. A large proportion of the immigrants are classified under "no occupation." There are fewer laborers coming in than at any time in twenty years.

Use of Feldspar Growing.

The exploitation of the many feldspar deposits of the United States is all the time increasing, owing to the extensive use of this mineral in the manufacture of pottery, enamelware, enamel brick and electrieware. It is also used for binding together the material of emery or carborundum wheels as well as to some extent in the manufacture of opalescent glass and artificial teeth. It is useful in the preparation of scouring soaps and window washes, because being slightly softer than glass it is not likely, as is the quartz contained in some soaps, to abrade the surface. Feldspar employed in pottery must be nearly free from iron-bearing minerals.

Woman Leads Pirates.

There recently appeared on the river at Hong Kong, much to the alarm of shipowners and their crews, a woman pirate, who has already taken a heavy toll of loot from vessels. Nothing is known of her, except the fact that she speaks English, wears a serge costume and Wellington boots, and carries a wicked-looking revolver, with which she compels her victims to surrender. Under her are a score or more Chinese brigands, who, although they are cut-throats and robbers, obey her implicitly.

Days of Gluttony.

Seventy-five years ago it was not unusual for a formal English breakfast to last two hours, while a dinner might start at 8:30 o'clock and be protracted till midnight. And the courses were as many and substantial as the meals were lengthy.

Turkish Superstition.

Upon the graves of the dead in the Turkish cemeteries little vessels of water are placed for the benefit of the birds, the superstition being that birds carry messages about the living to the dead.

Avoid Affectation.

Affectation is an awkward and forced imitation of what should be genuine and easy, wanting the beauty that accompanies what is natural.—Locke.

Not Pure Reading Matter.

"How to lie when asleep," runs a newspaper headline. The space would be better filled persuading people to tell the truth while awake.—Boston Transcript.

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Next regular meeting Howard Hall
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A LOST SHIP

It lies beneath the waters, fathoms
deep,
Rotting and rusting through the cen-
turies;
Dank mosses hide its golden pilasters
And sea snakes through its broken
cabins creep
And o'er its sunken treasures vigil
keep;
Bones whiten on its slimy, gutted
deck
And great fish at this human fodder
peck,
While o'er its masts grim monsters
whine and leap.

Sometimes the divers, like strange
idols clad,
Descend upon its ruined, ancient
bulk,
And shudder, as they watch the sea
folk skulk,
Trailing the misty wraiths that noise-
less pad
Through this drowned ship that
sailed from Salem town,
And left no man to tell how it went
down.

—New York Times.

CREATURES WHO NEVER DIE

Animals and Insects to Whom What
We Call Death Brings Only Sus-
pension of Activities.

There is an old saying that a cat
has nine lives, but once a cat is dead,
it is dead.

But there are some creatures to
whom what we call death brings only
a suspension of activities.

Not long ago there were unearthed
some Chinese manuscripts which had
lain for centuries in a receptacle that
was virtually a vacuum. When the
manuscripts were warmed, millions of
"dead" microbes stirred and came to
life.

Some forty years back the island of
Krakatoa, off the west coast of Suma-
tra, was almost blown to pieces by the
greatest volcanic eruption in history.
Plants were blasted; animals and in-
sects killed. Every form of life was
destroyed.

Today, Krakatoa is covered with a
dense vegetation, in which move all
the old forms of animal life.

Seeds carried ashore by wind and
sea may explain the presence of tropical
plants. But it would appear that
countless small organisms and insects
have been "nursed" by the plants, and
brought back again from death to life.

Then there is the toad. Time and
again a toad has been buried, only to
reappear after several months none
the worse for his demise.

Marmots, already apparently dead,
have been further subjected for four
hours to the poison gases of carbon
dioxide, and have afterwards "come
to life" no whit the worse. Flies kept
for days in wine have, when rescued
and dried in the sun, come to life
again and flown away.

JUSTIFIED



He—Why do you treat me as you
do?
She—Because you don't treat me
at all.

Cradle of American Methodism.
Barratt's chapel, near Frederica,
Del., is to Methodists what Independ-
ence hall is to Americans. It was in
this chapel Bishops Coke and Asbury
first met in America, held a council
with eleven ministers and arranged
for the organization of the Methodist
church as it exists in this country to-
day. During the year 1780 the chapel
was erected on ground donated for
that purpose by Phillip Barratt, a
member of the Delaware assembly.
Phillip Barratt was one of the men
who entertained and protected Asbury
during the Revolution. It was on Sun-
day, Nov. 14, 1784, that plans were
discussed which resulted in calling the
first conference of the Methodist
church at Baltimore, Dec. 25, 1784.
Bishop Coke was preaching in Bar-
ratt's chapel when Asbury arrived.
After the services they went to the
house of Mrs. Miriam Barratt, and
during the conversation which fol-
lowed plans were laid which resulted
in the foundation of the present
church.

Only Her Husband.

Suspicious Mistress—Jessie, didn't
I hear you talking with somebody?
Cook—Yassum; reckon so.
Mistress—Haven't I told you repeat-
edly, Jessie, that you must never have
any of your gentlemen friends call
here?
Cook—Hee, hee, missus! How he
will laugh when he hears dat! Lo'-
bless you, dat wasn't no gemmun
frien'. Dat was jus' mah wuffless, no-
'count husban'.—Everybody's Maga-
zine.

A Large Order.

"Do you make life-size enlarge-
ments from photographs?"
"Yes, sir; that's one of our very
special lines."
"Well, do this one for me. It's a
snap I took of a whale."

Depends.

"Are you going to build your house
of brick?"
"Yes—if we can interest any brick-
layers."—Life.

PERSONALS

Mrs. F. B. Brunner spent the day in
Columbus.

Miss Clara Southward spent the day
in Columbus.

Judge Charles Dresbach was a busi-
ness visitor in Columbus today.

Miss Sadie Brunner and Mrs. Har-
riet Lazenby spent the day in Colum-
bus.

Mrs. Orion King spent the day in
Ashville with Mr. and Mrs. Seymour
Millar.

Paul Valentine, C. A. Smith and J.
C. Haswell were business visitors in
Columbus today.

Corbett Dean of Columbus, spent
Sunday here the guest of his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. James Dean.

Mrs. Jane Woolever has returned
home after spending the holidays with
her brother, Lewis I. Morris.

Miss Ethel Caudy of Columbus,
spent the weekend with her mother,
Mrs. Mary Caudy, at Five Points.

D. M. Bockart of Columbus, spent
the weekend with his parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Harvey Bockart, at Tarlton.

Mrs. Rose Miller, of Columbus,
spent the weekend with her mother,
Mrs. Wilson Valentine, at Stoutsville.

Miss Ida Wardell of Columbus,
spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.
Thomas Wardell of Wayne township.

Miss Iola Seymour of Columbus,
spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs.
William Clifton of Jackson township.

George G. Adkins was in Columbu-
c in the probate court of Franklin coun-
ty attending to some legal business
today.

Mrs. Willard Story and daughter,
Clara, of Washington C. H., were the
guests over Sunday of her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Howard.

Rev. Arthur Cherrington, of Chillicothe,
district superintendent spent
Sunday in Tarlton and went to Colum-
bus today on a business trip.

Charles Morrow of Lafayette, In-
diana, and Mrs. Ida Edmonds of Cole-
burn, Indiana, who were called here
by the death of their sister, Miss Jane
Morrow, have returned home.

Miss Maxine Irwin, a student at the
Morey School of Music Columbus, has
returned to school after spending two
weeks' vacation with her parents, Dr.
and Mrs. S. J. Irwin, at Tarlton.

HOW MILK PRODUCTION

MAY BE INCREASED.

The average milk production of 23
the butterfat 69 per cent in feeding
cows was increased 65 per cent and
tests at the Ohio Experiment Station by
simply increasing the ordinary amount
of feed one-half. It was also found
that the amount of feed required to
produce a gallon of milk or a pound
of butter was less with the more
liberal feeding.

These experiments covered full
lactation periods and included all the
year round feeding. The average an-
nual production of the 23 cows on or-
dinary feeding and pasture was 335
pounds of butterfat. This was raised
to 568 pounds by simply increasing
the feed one-half.

MEN! ATTENTION!

The brotherhoods of the various
churches of the city are invited to
spend Tuesday evening, January 8, at
the Presbyterian church, as guests of
that brotherhood and hear an address
by Harry B. Dixon. Mr. Dixon will
speak about his experiences among
will be served after the address.
the Head Hunters of India. Lunch
Meeting at 7:30 o'clock.

Patching Wall Paper.

To patch gouges made in the wall
by sharp-cornered furniture, fill the
hole with plaster of paris to which
has been added dissolved glue to de-
lay the hardening process. Use a half
cup of dry glue to a half pound of
plaster of paris. Let a scrap of the
original paper fade in the sun to
match the wall paper, and tear out
a patch, making it irregular in shape.
Carefully peel off layers from the
back, thus making the patch as thin
as possible and apply to the wall.

THE SICK.

Edmund Moeller, of the Moeller dry
goods store, who has been quite ill for
the past three weeks, is reported
much better and is able to be up and
about his home.

The condition of Caddy Miller re-
mains precarious. He passed thru a
critical evening Sunday and was delir-
ious at times.

Champion Almanac Hoarder.

A Philadelphia who has reached the
age of one hundred and two years has
accumulated the greatest collection of
almanacs in the world. And yet they
want to give us monkey glands to
make us live longer.—Cartoon's Maga-
zine.

BATTLESHIP ADRIFT

One of the Vessels to Be Scrapped
Under the Naval Treaty.

Washington, Jan. 7.—The United
States battleship Louisiana is adrift
30 miles at sea off the Delaware
coast, according to a radiogram from
Hampton Roads, Va., received here
by the navy department. The war
vessel, recently sold to a private com-
pany for scrapping, was towed by
two tugs when she went adrift. Naval
vessels are trying to locate her.

First word of the accident was re-
ceived from the steamship Herbert
L. Pratt, which reported citing the
battleship about 30 miles off the De-
laware coast. The Louisiana was
placed out of commission on Oct. 20,
1920, at the Philadelphia navy yard.
Later she was sold to a private firm
for scrapping. Her private owners
were having her towed when she went
adrift.

Alfred Gurenfeld, pianist and com-
poser, died in Vienna.

Three more fatalities in conse-
quence of the heavy snowfall through-
out the Alpine region are reported
from the Tyrol, where a party of five
skiers was struck by an avalanche.

Fifteen-year-old Louis Gilbert of
Linden, N. J., was sentenced from 10
to 30 years in state's prison for the
murder of his uncle, Joseph Hall of
Rahway, last July.

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ATTACKS STATE DEPARTMENT

Johnson Holds Its Mexican Policy to Be "Hazardous."

SENATOR ISSUES STATEMENT

Declares That If the Rule Laid Down by Secretary Hughes as to Mexico Had Obtained in 1916 This Country Would Still Be a Dependency of Britain—Confers With His Supporters at Chicago.

Chicago, Jan. 7.—Senator Hiram Johnson, following a conference with his national manager, Frank H. Hitchcock, at the Auditorium hotel, announced that he purposed to put on a campaign in Illinois that would be "warm enough for everybody."

The senator after laying down the law to all his aides who attended the conference bluntly declared that from now on his chance of being nominated for the presidency depended largely on what happens in the primaries that will be held in March and April. And if they wanted to get down to the grass roots of the actual situation, he said, all they had to do was to make Illinois the greatest political battleground in recent years. He promised, meantime, that he would do his share, for if either Illinois or Michigan were permitted to go by default it would seriously jeopardize the whole national situation so far as he was concerned.

Some of the senator's admirers thought he was purposely throwing a scare into them in order to get a little pep into the battle in the middle western states. There may have been some such mental reservation on the part of the senator, but the truth of the matter is that if President Coolidge should carry these western states in a primary it would be notice to the country that the common people were with him in the sections where he was supposed to be weakest. And if they are with him, then, some of the senator's aides declare, he should be nominated.

Senator Johnson later issued a statement denouncing the state department at Washington for taking sides in the Mexican revolution. The senator declared that it negates the fundamental principles of the American republic, holds the American people to "friendly relations with all nations" up to scorn, and is repugnant to the spirit of liberty as well as the rights of all people.

If the rule now laid down by Secretary of State Hughes as to Mexico had obtained in 1916, this country would still be a dependency of Great Britain, he said. He characterized it as a hazardous policy. Johnson proceeded:

"It isn't a question between backing one side or the other I criticize; it is backing either in a war of which we know nothing and which is none of our concern. The policy enunciated by our government is at variance with what has been thought to be fundamental with us."

"It is now officially declared that the United States will aid and maintain constituted authority, will preserve the status quo on his hemisphere. Our nation in advance takes its position against any and all revolutions, no matter what the merits, and undertakes with its mighty power to sustain as against rebellion or revolution any existing government of whatever character. If any such rule had obtained during our revolution, the United States would still be a dependency of Great Britain. Beyond this, it negates all our protestations of peace and at once makes us indirectly a part of little local wars."

POINCARÉ RE-ELECTED

Declares He Will Follow Out His Reparations Policy.

Paris, Jan. 7.—Premier Poincaré was re-elected senator from the Meuse district by the senatorial electoral college sitting at Bar le Duc, receiving 794 votes out of 810. After his election the premier addressed the electoral college, declaring: "Touched by this mark of confidence in the chair of your government, we will follow out the reparations policy which you have thus approved to ward a peaceful triumph and complete execution of the peace treaty."

Under the French law one-third of the seats of the French senate expire each year, resulting in the election of senators from thirty-six districts, of which the premier's district was one. There were 229 candidates in the field for 36 seats. It is believed that the administration will gain five or ten seats through the elections.

CAPTAIN THOMAS SENN

In Command of the Giant Battleship West Virginia.



SEE GREAT YEAR AHEAD

Automobile Manufacturers Predict Big Increase in Production.

New York, Jan. 7.—The twenty-fourth annual automobile show in the great Bronx armory attracted to the metropolis a galaxy of important figures in the automotive industry here to supervise the showing of motor-dom's very newest creations. Pleasing surprises were provided the throng of first nighters that packed the armory when the big exhibition was formally thrown open. Innovations and changes, greater in number and import than ever enjoyed at any national exhibition, greeted visitors. Optimism is the order. Every manufacturer predicts an even greater year of business than the one just closed when production and sales reached an amazing total, topping the best previous year by 50 per cent. A composite of opinions voiced by several of the larger manufacturers forecasts a 15 per cent increase in production and sales over last year. According to this, the 1924 motor grist will approximate 4,600,000 motor vehicles.

WILL PROBE LATEST MOVIE SCANDAL

Hays, Head of Picture Producers, Arrives in Los Angeles.

Los Angeles, Jan. 7.—With the arrival here today of Will H. Hays, head of the Motion Picture Producers' and Distributors' association, a new investigation is scheduled to be launched into the shooting of Courtland S. Dines, in which Mabel Normand is said to have been involved.

A meeting of the organization has been called for tomorrow, at which the tragic climax of the gay party given by Dines at his apartment New Year's night, and all the circumstances surrounding it, will be the principal subject of discussion.

And, as a result, it was whispered in Hollywood, will come the ten commandments of 1924 for the film players of the motion picture capital—rules of conduct which they must observe if they hope to remain in the good graces of the organization. These, it is said, will be in the nature of definitions of the so-called "morality clause," now included in a great many of the contracts of picture stars.

This clause was inserted after the murder of William Desmond Taylor, the Arbuckle affair and other scandals of recent years, which have rocked the motion picture world. When Hays quit the job of postmaster general and became the head of the picture magnates' organizations, it was with the avowed purpose of "cleaning up the industry."

Detectives questioned Mrs. Edith Burns, companion of Miss Normand, in an effort to clear up several points in her story which conflicted with that of Horace Greer, the film star's chauffeur.

Reports from Good Samaritan hospital were to the effect that both Dines and Miss Normand are progressing favorably.

Born Holmes, formerly a prominent newspaper man of Cleveland, O., died at his home in Hollywood, Cal., after a long illness.

A mother and child lost their lives as the result of a fire starting around a whisky still in the home of Mrs. Michael Tiuko at Taylor, near Scranton, Pa.

HUGHES' STAND MADE KNOWN

Arms Shipments to Mexican Rebels Disapproved.

OFFICIAL DECLARATION MADE

Private Concerns Making Such Shipments Do So at Their Own Risk, the State Department Says—Mexican Government Expected to Register Strong Protest Against Shipments by Private Individuals.

Washington, Jan. 7.—The United States government opposes the shipment of arms by private interests to the De la Huerta revolutionary faction in Mexico, according to official announcement made by the state department.

Acting on instructions received from Secretary Hughes, the department of justice has advised its representatives in New Orleans that, while there is no legal obstacle to sales being made to De la Huerta, private individuals making such sales will act directly contrary to the policy of their government. Private concerns making such shipments do so at their own risk.

The significance of the state department announcement and the instructions of the department of justice is that, while sales of munitions to the De la Huerta faction are legally permissible, any American concern making such sales does so in spite of the American government's expressed disapproval. Moreover, the sales must be made entirely at the risk of the private individual concerned, who will have no recourse in case of loss arising under any circumstances whatever.

The Mexican government, it is understood, expects to register a strong protest against allowing any private individuals to sell munitions to the De la Huerta rebels. President Coolidge, it is pointed out here, has wide authority under existing law to proclaim an embargo against shipments of arms to the rebel forces. Such action would be regarded as in accord with the officially friendly attitude toward President Obregon assumed by the president and Mr. Hughes in allowing the Mexican government to purchase supplies from American army stocks.

The Mexican embassy here received a long message from Mexico City indicating that the federal forces are being augmented by civilian volunteers and are preparing for a decisive move against the rebels.

DISSOLVES CANCER CELLS

Austrian Doctors Prepare Specific Substance Out of a Culture.

Vienna, Jan. 7.—A medical journal here publishes the results of 10 years of study by Dr. Ernst Freund and Dr. Gisa Kaminer of causes of cancer, and especially of the sources from which malignant growths obtain the material for the continued growth.

The investigation of Drs. Freund and Kaminer proved that the blood serum of a normal person is able to dissolve cancer cells, but that the serum from cancer patients lacks this power, and in addition contains a substance which neutralizes the serum and protects the cancer cells from destruction.

The substances which dissolves the cancer cells has been isolated. It is found to be saturated divalent organic acid, the formula of which is carbon 42, hydrogen 76, oxygen 7. The substance which protects cancer cells is found to be a nucleoglobulin, characterized by a special content of carbohydrate and unsaturated fatty acid.

Drs. Freund and Kaminer were able to prepare out of a culture a specific substance which dissolves the cancer cells.

Pogrom Leaders to Die.

Moscow, Jan. 7.—At Jitomir, in the Ukraine, three pogrom leaders, who were responsible for the terrible Jewish massacres three years ago, were condemned to death. Among the convicted men who will be executed is the Ukrainian bandit chief, Peleliuk, who personally butchered and tortured scores of women and children in the Cherniakov pogroms.

McGannon Released.

Columbus, Jan. 7.—William H. McGannon, former chief justice of the municipal court in Cleveland, was released from the Ohio penitentiary after serving 19 months of a one to 10-year sentence for perjury. McGannon was declared by Dr. Willis A. Whiteman, penitentiary physician, to be in a serious physical condition.

WILLIAM R. HOPKINS

New City Manager of Cleveland Takes Oath of Office.



DOINGS IN OHIO

Girl Slain For Revenge?

Canton, O., Jan. 7.—The mud clogged hands of a wrist watch pointing to 9:10 o'clock may solve the mystery shrouding the death of Miss Ruth Hunter, 19, who was found on a deserted road near here Wednesday night. The theory that the girl had been kidnapped was dissipated when neighbors testified that they had seen the girl enter an automobile at 8:30 p. m. apparently without coercion. The spot where the girl's body was found is a 40-minute drive from her home. A further revelation made was the discovery of the druggist who sold a large quantity of chloroform to a man several hours before the girl disappeared. Miss Hunter's family recently was accused of having turned a prominent bootlegger over to the authorities, and this fact, coupled with the finding of surgeons that the girl had not been attacked, leads the authorities to the theory that Miss Hunter may have been slain for revenge.

Shooting Held Accidental.

Cincinnati, Jan. 7.—Miss Laura Strauss Freiberg, 19, of this city, freshman of Wellesley college, who was found dead in an apartment near that of an aunt, met death by accidental shooting, according to the declaration of Coroner Handley. Miss Freiberg, who was home here for the holidays, died from the effects of a bullet wound while alone in the apartment. The coroner asserts he could find nothing upon which to base any theory except accidental shooting.

City Manager Takes Oath.

Cleveland, Jan. 7.—The salary of W. R. Hopkins, city manager of Cleveland under his new form of government, was placed at \$25,000 a year at a meeting of the Republican majority of the new city council. The same meeting also declared itself in favor of naming Clayton C. Townes mayor and president of the council. Mr. Hopkins was sworn in today.

Demand of Plasterers.

Columbus, Jan. 7.—Local plasterers are demanding a wage scale of \$12 a day, effective Feb. 1. About 30 general plastering contractors received notices to that effect. Wages for the eight-hour day of plasterers have ranged from \$11 to \$14, according to Herbert Bailey, business agent of Local No. 49, and this step is taken to standardize pay of workmen.

Race Horses Perish.

Dayton, O., Jan. 7.—Four race horses were burned to death in a fire which swept the racing stables of Walter Taylor at the Montgomery county fair grounds. Among the victims of the blaze was Al Forbes, 2:13½, trained by Taylor, and three unnamed colts.

Burns Self to Death.

Delphos, O., Jan. 7.—Mrs. Elizabeth Grothe, 48, was burned to death here. Investigation disclosed that she built a bonfire in a woodshed and threw herself into the flames.

Brace of Fires.

Columbus, Jan. 7.—Fire destroyed the Valley Dale dance hall, near this city, with a loss of \$20,000. The Miller Rubber company's store was damaged \$50,000 by flames.

Harrison Sentenced.

Columbus, Jan. 7.—Three years in Ohio penitentiary and \$5,000 fine were imposed on Dwight Harrison by Common Pleas Judge Duncan. Harrison was convicted of making false and wilfully exaggerated statements as to ownership of a subsidiary of the R. L. Dellings company of Ohio, of which he was formerly vice president and general counsel. Harrison will appeal.

TO TAKE ACTION WITHIN A WEEK

Envoys Would End Practice of "Diplomatic" Bootlegging.

DECIDE TO HOLD MEETING

Move Follows the Frequent Charges That Bootleggers Obtain Liquor From Certain Legations—Diplomats Would Clear Up the Situation at the Capital by Their Own Action. Anti-Saloon Leaders Gathering.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Foreign envoys on duty here will end the practice of diplomatic bootlegging.

Within the week the diplomatic corps will hold one of its infrequent meetings and take such action then as will make it unlikely that anyone enjoying immunity in the matter of obtaining liquor will take advantage of the privilege.

This action follows the frequent charge when a bootlegger is arrested that he obtained his liquor from a certain legation. The most recent development is the recent arrest of a person on a charge of selling liquor and finding in his possession a letter from an official in the Honduras legation referring to the sale of liquor. The state department and police now have this under investigation.

Just a week before a raiding party, in rounding up what is charged with being a bootleg ring, endeavored to confiscate \$50,000 worth of liquor when an attaché at the Polish legation intervened and claimed diplomatic immunity. His government since has made inquiry upon which to base a protest. Still earlier a rum leak scandal hovered about the Cuban legation. An arrest followed, but this did not involve any of the accredited representatives.

As a result of this situation a storm has broken out in congress and Secretary of State Hughes is required to write many letters a week to dry members of the house explaining just what is meant by "diplomatic immunity," and what may be done in the matter. He has made it plain that about the only redress the United States has is to ask the government responsible to recall its representative.

Fear that some irresponsible person attached to some legation may reflect on the diplomatic corps as a whole, and result in the government of the United States seeking further restrictions, the diplomats plan to see if they can not clean up the situation by their own action.

Even while the storm is gathering in congress the Anti-Saloon league advance guard is gathering here for the annual convention to begin Jan. 12. They plan to seek the truth on the whole question of prohibition enforcement, it was stated, and show that material progress has been made.

MODERNISTS SCORED

Baptist Ministers Hold Their Views Immoral and Anarchistic.

New York, Jan. 7.—Denominations were ignored in the church war raging over the virgin birth and resurrection of the body when three Baptist fundamentalists attacked views of modernists as dishonest, immoral, anarchistic and un-Christian.

Dr. I. M. Haldeman of the First Baptist church, Dr. John Roach Straton of Calvary Baptist and Dr. Frank M. Goodchild of Central Baptist led the assault on the modernists.

Dr. Haldeman was most bitter in his attack. He said of the modernists: "Their denial of the virgin birth is a conspiracy against the rising generation, and means the dissolution of Protestantism. He declared that if the claims of Christ as to the resurrection are not true, 'as the modern preacher says, then Christ was the greatest deceiver that ever fooled and mocked the sorrowing hearts of men.'"

"The preachers who deny these doctrines are bolsheviks and anarchists," he said. "They are the blind leaders of the blind, and both are heading for the same ditch of damnation."

Explorer Carter ill.

Luxor, Jan. 7.—The tomb of King Tutankhamen remains closed owing to the indisposition of Howard Carter, the American Egyptologist in charge of the work. Carter's illness does not appear to be sufficient to cause any alarm, and it is stated that a two days' rest will help him recover sufficiently to go on with the urgent work which he had determined upon before leaving the country to carry out a number of engagements made for this spring.

AUTHORITY QUESTIONED

America to Claim All Land Amundsen May Find.

Washington, Jan. 7.—Lacking funds because the Norwegian government will not finance his spring airplane trip from Spitzbergen to Alaska, Roald Amundsen, the explorer, has agreed that the United States shall claim all the land he may find. This became known through the presence of a letter in navy department files, signed by H. H. Hammer, Norwegian consul at Seattle. Hammer signed a communication saying the United States was welcome to any discoveries. Secretary Denby acknowledged this offer with thanks and agreed to lend to the expedition Lieutenant Ralph Eugene Davison of Missouri, one of the best young flyers of the service. Now the question has arisen as to whether Hammer has the authority to guarantee such discoveries to the United States, and the matter may be referred to the state department for an opinion.

Took Overdose of Poison.

New York, Jan. 7.—"The city's got me. I couldn't beat it." That was the way June Diamond Waters Brown summed up her life just before she died of an overdose of veronal, taken to make her sleep and forget. She was trying to forget the happy, beautiful girl of 18 who left a little town in Illinois 15 years ago for the city; forgot her life as mistress of a Long Island mansion, the wife of a prosperous manufacturer, mother of a beautiful daughter, and forgot the plunge into the gaieties of the city that brought estrangement.

AUTHOR UNKNOWN

Peace Plan No. 1,469 Wins the Bok Prize of \$100,000.

New York, Jan. 7.—Plan No. 1,469 has been pronounced by the American peace award the best of more than 20,000 entered for the Edward K. Bok prize of \$100,000 for the best practical plan by which this country might co-operate with other nations to prevent war. Authorship of the plan will not be made known until a nation-wide referendum has been taken to determine whether the plan meets with support of America. The winning plan proposes first that the United States immediately should enter the permanent court of international justice, endorsed by the late President Harding, and second, without becoming a member of the league of nations as at present constituted, should offer to co-operate with the league, under certain conditions, as a body of mutual council.

MARKET REVIEW

Columbus, Jan. 7.—Market conditions during the past week are reviewed by the Ohio division of markets as follows:

LIVE STOCK AND MEATS—Chicago hog prices ranged from 15c to 35c higher than a week ago, closing at \$7.40 for the top and \$7.20 for the bulk. Medium and good head steers 50 to 55c higher at \$8.40@11.35; butcher cows and heifers 25c higher at \$3.75@11; feeder steers 25c to 35c lower at \$4.07 to 7.50; fat lambs 25c to 40c higher at \$1.75@13.90; feeding lambs steady at \$11.12 to 50; yearlings 50c net higher at \$9.12, and fat ewes 25c to \$1 higher at \$5.08 to 50. In eastern wholesale fresh meat markets beef, lamb and pork firm to \$1 higher, veal firm to \$2 up and mutton weak to \$1 lower. Jan. 5 prices, good grade meats: Beef, \$1@18; veal, \$14@20; lamb, \$21@23; mutton, \$13@16; light pork loins, \$13@16; heavy loins, \$10.50@13.

FRUITS AND VEGETABLES—Potatoes generally 10c to 25c higher in city markets. Eastern round whites sold at \$1.75@1.90 sacked and bulk per 100 pounds in eastern cities, \$1.55 f. o. b.; sacked northern round whites \$1.25@1.40; yellow corn, St. Louis 71@72c; No. 3 white oats, Chicago 43c@44c; St. Louis 45c@46c; Minneapolis 40c.

GRAIN—Grain markets higher for the week. Future markets rather irregular, but light receipts strengthened cash prices. Quoted Jan. 5: No. 1 dark northern spring wheat, Minneapolis \$1.13@1.22; No. 2 hard winter wheat, Chicago \$1.05, Kansas City \$1.00@1.11; No. 2 red winter wheat, St. Louis \$1.15, Kansas City \$1.11; No. 2 yellow corn, Chicago 73c; No. 3 yellow corn, St. Louis 71@72c; No. 3 white oats, Chicago 43c@44c; St. Louis 45c@46c; Minneapolis 40c.

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter markets steady to firm during the week. Closing prices, 92 score: New York, Chicago and Boston 54c; Philadelphia 55c. Cheese markets unsettled during the week. Closing prices at Wisconsin primary markets Jan. 5: Twins 20c, single daisies 20c, double daisies 21c, young Americas 22c, longhorns 21c, square prints 21c.

THREE OF A KIND

By H. LOUIS RAYDOLD

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FOR several years Marcia Glen, Cora Bassett and Jerry St. Claire had taught adjoining rooms in the Webster Grammar school and were popularly supposed to possess similar tastes along all lines.

Only in one respect did they differ, and that was on the subject of the most desirable spot in which to pass the annual summer vacation.

Had you eavesdropped from Mrs. Bates' living room one June evening as the three chatted on the porch you would have heard them expressing their opinions thereupon along with Mrs. Bates' other boarders, from the Trumbull twins to Lacy Haskell, the eccentric bachelor who was so well-to-do that he had two halves of cantaloupe every morning by special order.

Marcia delivered herself definitely. "My hay fever will not stand any place but Bretton Woods. You know that, girls. I do wish you both—"

"It's futile to urge me," interrupted Cora briskly. "The surf, the crowds, the boardwalk—oh, what you miss shutting yourself up in the mountains! Ocean Grove for mine!"

Jerry, the youngest of the trio, swung a trimly shod foot from the couch hammock. "I," she told them, "am trying a new place. Oh, another Adirondack lake, of course."

This matter disposed of, the three turned to other subjects. One thing leading to another, the imminent wedding of a mutual acquaintance was arrived at.

"No more European trips for her," sighed Cora. "Her future husband doesn't make the money she does now!"

"What she can see in him worth the loss of her freedom and good times, beats me!" declared the decisive Jerry. "When I find a man that's such a paragon I'd sacrifice my entire life to be with him. I'll—I'll marry him."

"You're safe for a while," laughed Marcia comfortably. "I fancy we all are. Our married friends are not a stimulant to imitation. I wouldn't marry the best man living!"

"Nor I!" said Cora.

"Nor I!" said Jerry, explosively.

The morning following Marcia's arrival at her usual boarding place in

the White mountains she spent in putting away her carefully assembled wardrobe. That afternoon she selected a crisp, cool organdie, flounced and sashed, descended to the veranda and ran into Lacy Haskell imperturbably regarding Presidential peak and looking very attractive in flannels.

He explained his presence vaguely, but straightway dated up Marcia for tennis that afternoon, and from that moment proceeded to make such incursions upon her time that she lay awake nights wondering. Particularly as he had let her know almost deliberately that he never intended to marry, was a confirmed woman-hater and an inveterate egotist!

Three days later he was giving the boardwalk procession at Ocean Grove a critical survey. By his side Miss Cora Bassett beamed and glowed. True, Lacy had just been telling her of his pet aversion to marriage and the female sex in general. Yet wasn't he full of plans for the next few days which included her? Who could tell what might fall out? Cora all but clung to his arm, laughed heartily at his jokes, sent him oblique, coquettish glances.

Somehow or other, when Lacy from the stern of a canoe looked at the slim, kulcker-clad Jerry his patter about confirmed bachelorhood and distrust of her sex sounded rather inane. In the days that followed he found himself involved in a strange predicament. Jerry did not respond as the other two had to his attentions and the cooler she grew the more he wished she wouldn't.

He wanted Jerry for his wife and wanted her very much.

One afternoon—and he noticed it shortly after the arrival of the mail—Jerry was so very uppish to him that his hopes fell thuddingly and he decided to know the worst.

She had already promised to go canoeing and he held her to her word. Guiding the craft to a sheltered cove sweet with evergreens, he rested his paddle across the gunwales and gazed somberly into Jerry's blue-gray eyes. Listlessly he put the age old question, sadly sure of the answer.

Followed a silence—then bitter speech from the girl. "Are you playing with me as you did with Marcia, and, as I heard this morning, with Cora as well? They both write how only the most desperate measures warranted off a proposal."

Whatever were Lacy's inmost thoughts, he kept them to himself and rose like a hero to the occasion. There was but one road to take, that of confession, and he traveled it gall-

antly from beginning to end. Twilight was dimming the lake when Jerry saw fit to forgive him, and they were started on their homeward way when Lacy, lifted to the seventh heaven, grinned teasingly.

"Perhaps my experiments did fail with the other two"—he did not let Jerry share his mental reservations in the matter—"but how about—"

"The third?" asked Jerry coolly. "meaning me? Oh, I merely said I wouldn't marry the best man living. And what could Lacy say?"

City Lighting Modern.

Lighting up a whole city at night is quite a modern invention, although illumination was used in some of the ancient cities. Paris and London dispute the priority in the matter of modern street lighting. London claims to have lighted its streets with lanterns as early as 1414, but this contention is disputed. During the sixteenth century lanterns for street lighting were provided at the public cost in Paris.

Too Precious to Part With.

New paper guilder currency recently issued in Java by the Javasche bank was so admired by the Chinese and natives when first issued that it was hoarded. The notes were printed by an American company, and include 2½-guilder and 1-guilder denominations. They were intended to relieve the present scarcity of silver coins.

Orion.

The moonless night has a touch of frost, and is steely-clear. High and dominant amidst the Populations of the Sky, the restless and the steadfast alike, hangs the great Plow, lit with a hard radiance as of the polished and shining share.—Kenneth Grahame in "Pagan Papers."

Some Rare Fruits.

Among the productions of the Philippines are two delicious fruits unknown to the civilized world. The durian, as large as a coconut, contains a creamy, pulplike delicious custard. Another rare fruit is the mangosteen, but the exquisitely flavored liquid it contains cannot be preserved.

African Race Well Advanced.

The Wakumba, the leading Bantu tribe in Uganda, are the most highly civilized black race in Africa. They had a decimal system of calculation when first discovered by white men. They also understood iron working and had a considerable knowledge of music.

REALIZED ERROR TOO LATE

Old-Time Beggar's Pride Suffers a Fall When He Tackles Same Couple Twice.

There is pride in all trades. He was old and shambling and his eye was red, but it had a bit of a twinkle behind it. He pulled his mouth down. "Could you help an old one to get just a cup of coffee now?" he asked, and touched his hat as he took the coin.

The couple he had approached (your expert panhandler tackles them in couples, for most men like to show their generosity when a woman is witness) turned the corner and then, perhaps for something forgotten, turned back after a quarter of a block.

The beggar had gone on, and then he too turned back. Once more he approached.

"Could you help an old one to get just a cup of coffee now?" he asked.

"Did you already drink the cup I just bought you?" asked the man.

The beggar stopped short. He peered. His face fell. He smote his brow and turned on his heel and hurried off. And the laughing couple, looking back, saw him blushing to the back of his neck.

It was simply that he had wounded his own pride. To make such a blunder—tackling the same one twice and that inside of three minutes. He shuffled hurriedly and his step said as clearly as words, "Getting old! Getting old!"—New York Sun and Globe.

Persian Bread.

The Persian native bread today is very little different from that used a thousand years ago. The Persian oven is built of smooth masonry in the ground. The dough is formed into thin sheets about a foot long and two feet wide and slapped against the side of the oven. It bakes in a few minutes.

Look Out for Both of Them!

Look out for the one who talks most about liars. His own words need to be weighed carefully. He is brother to the one who rushes through a crowd crying "thief"—he needs watching—and catching. Both fellows raise a dust for a purpose.—Exchange.

Lost Mining Camp.

Silver Mountain, once a famous mining camp of Idaho, is now deserted. Thirty years ago a syndicate decided the place had a wonderful future. Money was poured into the enterprise. The mill ran just ten days. The "mine" gave out.

Croaked His Delight.

A British Columbia reader says that while sitting alone in her home at night a big toad would hop in time after time and sit looking at her. As the toad visited her often, and she did not care to keep it in the house, she closed the door. One night she heard a queer little scratching at the wire screen of her window, and looking out to investigate saw her friend with his head pressed against the screen, having climbed three feet or more to reach the sill, and she says: "On exclaiming, 'Oh, you're there, old fellow,' he greeted me with a genuine croak, apparently delighted at seeing me."

A Slight Error.

He was a very patient and long-suffering young man, but when at last she arrived at the corner where they had arranged to meet he ventured a remonstrance.

"Darling, you are late," he said, mildly.

"Only a few minutes," she protested in an injured tone. "I said I'd be here at 7 o'clock and it's only twenty minutes past."

"Oh," sighed the young man, "then you must have mistaken the day. I've been waiting here since last night."

Wonderful Worm.

Little Jeanette was in the park with her grandmother when she saw a "daddy-long-legs" for the first time. "Oh, grandma!" she cried, "here is a worm that walks on his whiskers with his face in the middle."

Eating the Nimble Locust.

Locusts are today eaten in Arabia, pretty much as they were in the time of John the Baptist. Foreigners as well as natives declare that they are really an excellent article of diet.

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Their Use.

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Big Name, Tiniest Plant.

There is a plant called volvox globator so minute that millions of them could be placed in a small wine glass.

Jed Tunkins. Jed Tunkins says one reason an eight-hour day seems so long is that it gets monotonous watchin' the clock.

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Timely Love.

Jack, four, could tell the time for his mother by locating the nearest numbers. One day when he came back to tell his mother, his eyes were as big as saucers, as he said: "Why, mother! They're both at ten! They're loving each other!"

Read Meaning of Word "Bible."

Almost any child that has attended a religious school knows that the word Bible means book, but it really means "books," as the collection bound within one volume is a library of books written during more than 20 centuries.

SPAN OF LIFE GREATER
BY OVER THREE YEARS

Prophecy Made Last Year Being
Borne Out by U. S. Figures.

New York.—Fulfillment of a prophecy that the average span of life in this country could be lengthened by 20 years in half a century has begun, says a statement issued by the National Health Council. Proof of this is shown in the latest figures of the United States census bureau, which reveal a gain of three and a third years in the average length of life during 1921.

The prophecy, made at the annual meeting of the American Public Health association last year, is being borne out by a gain in the average span of life from 54 2-3 years during 1920 to 58 years during 1921, this improvement being greater than for the entire ten years, 1910-1920. Furthermore 1921 gives us the lowest death rate the country has ever had.

Eminent scientists will carefully analyze these figures when the American Child Health association holds its annual convention in Detroit from October 15 to 17. Two other members of the National Health Council will hold conventions about the same time, the American Public Health association meeting in Boston from October 8 to 11 and the American Social Hygiene association in St. Louis, October 18 and 19.

Increase in the average length of life during the earlier years are almost lost in the middle-age group, and the National Health Council is seeking to offset this by waging a campaign to have every one go on his birthday to his family physician for a thorough physical examination. By doing this, the council asserts, serious organic diseases can be detected and prevented. "Three out of four apparently healthy persons examined reveal physical impairments of which they are ignorant and which are usually easily remediable or preventable. And if 10,000,000 American citizens will go this year to their doctors for health examinations, the prophecy will be more than fulfilled," says the council.

Chicago "Cop" Given
Hot Wedding Reception

Chicago.—Society note: Vincent Johnson, secretary to Capt. James McCann of the Maxwell street station, was married recently to Miss Elizabeth Hally of 4650 West Adams street. Police report: Vincent Johnson was taken into custody by the Fillmore street police as he was leaving St. Mel's church with his bride. The charge was stealing an automobile belonging to Captain McCann. Prisoner released when captain explained Johnson had borrowed the machine saying he wanted to take his mother to the depot.

Fire report: False alarm turned in from 4650 West Adams street. Some kind of celebration in progress. One Vincent Johnson appeared overheated, but no evidence of fire.

Medical report: Police pulmotor squad called to 4650 West Adams street. Patient, Vincent Johnson, reported overcome, revived before squad arrival. No service rendered.

Arrivals and departures: Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Johnson, newly wed, left town last night, Johnson saying he was going to a place where "a lot of bone-headed, flat-footed coppers don't interfere with a guy's nuptials."

Prison Reform Brings
Results in England

London.—Prison reform is popular just now in England, where it used to be regarded as purely an American notion. The latest thing in prison reform has been adopted in Wakefield jail, with excellent results. It is said.

Scarcely a warder is to be seen. To maintain order the prefect system of the English public schools has been adopted, and there is no restraint on conversation at meal times.

The men all have allotments. They work in pairs—a man who knows something of gardening being coupled with a man who knows nothing about it.

Every prisoner who does well is allowed to grow a border of flowers to decorate his "room," as the cells are called.

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Work is arranged under expert instructors in the weaving shed, foundry, builders' yard and other workshops.

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Proves Lobster Goes
Mile-a-Day Under Water

Hartford, Conn.—Proof that a lobster is capable of traveling at least a mile a day under water has been established by a record of a certain lobster kept by the state board of fisheries and game. The board has undertaken to tag every ripe egg-bearing lobster released by its agents. A lobster released at Noank on July 14 was caught at Waten Hill, nine miles away, on July 23.

Chicago People Move Often.

Chicago.—About 1,285,000 people change their dwelling places in Chicago every year, according to statistics compiled here. These totals were reached by figuring four and one-quarter members to a family, and the records show that more than 300,000 families move annually.

KASS GOT 85 NEW MEMBERS

Detroit Legion Worker Won Trip to
National Convention for His
Rapid-Fire Hustling.

John Kass, a member of the Charles A. Learned post of the American Legion in Detroit, made the Legion national hall of fame recently when he enrolled 85 new members for his post. As a prize for winning the contest he received a trip to the Legion national convention in San Francisco with all transportation expenses paid by the post.

The most formidable rival Kass developed in the contest which lasted about two and one-half months was "Pete" Kolbe who obtained 65 members. Both of the contestants worked hard during the last four days of the race. Kolbe obtained 13 new members, but this record was beaten by Kass who speeded up the home stretch and recruited 36 Legionnaires, or nine a day during that period.

The two successful membership



John Kass.

"getters" obtained some valuable information during the contest. One of the surprising bits of information was that the reason why many veterans have not joined the Legion is because they have never been asked to enter the organization. Legion officials cite this fact as a demonstration of the necessity for a more active canvass of former service men.

Both Kass and Kolbe signed up scores of veterans for the Legion in previous membership contests.

MAY ADMIT FORMER ENEMIES

Owsley Favors Permitting Germans,
Austrians and Russians to Enter
Veterans' Federation.

Alvin Owsley, national commander of the American Legion, created a sensation in veterans' circles when he asked allied veterans to dislodge passion and hatred from their hearts and plan to admit German, Austrian and Russian World war fighters into the Interallied Veterans' Federation.

"Surely there must be some way in which we can speak to the men we fought and make them realize there is a better way of living among nations than continuing battling one another," Commander Owsley declared at the recent convention of the federation in Brussels. "How can we wish to deal with our former enemies if we haven't the moral courage to get together in peace? Maybe there has been no change of heart among our former enemies. Perhaps there never will be unless we are men enough to undertake to carry to them our peace message. France and Belgium positively are entitled to reparations, but hoarding and keeping in our heart ancient prejudices will not bring the peace we earned by our victory."

Charles Bertrand, president of the federation, representing the views of France and Belgium, indicated that he would favor admittance of the men from the enemy countries as soon as they evinced a desire to pay reparations.

AUXILIARY IS TO HAVE HOME

Alma (Kan.) Organization, With Only
Twenty-five Members in Small
Town, Sets Example.

A memorial home, for use by all townspeople is the objective of a unit of the American Legion Auxiliary in Alma, Kan. The building, which the women workers of the organization propose to erect, will contain an auditorium, a gymnasium, and a service kitchen. On the second floor, quarters for the Legion and for the Auxiliary will be established. While the erection of such a home is not unusual in auxiliary circles, it is an extraordinary undertaking in the case of this unit, which has a membership of 25, in a town of only 789 inhabitants. The women own a site for the proposed home purchased at a cost of \$900, and plan early erection of the community memorial.

A La Carte.

We had quarreled at our dinner. Though I ordered quite a spread. "It's the woman does the paying," She snapped, "when all is said." Then I tossed the check right at her. And I left her in a daze. "Have your way," I sadly snorted. "Here's one time the woman pays." —American Legion Weekly

Missed Bands at Convention.

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Met in Regular Weekly Session Monday and Approved Bills.

The following bills were approved by the county commissioners Monday, December 31:

Z. P. Adkins, certifying burial of Catharine Wood \$ 1 00

J. L. Bauer, certifying burial of Thomas Sample 1 00

Columbus Blank Book Co., dog application 42 00

Consumers Paper Co., rags for surveyor 10 56

Ben Dumm, assisting county surveyor 3 00

H. D. Fetherolf, repairing bridges 16 50

Charles F. Geller, oil and turpentine 9 50

H. G. Griner, expense account 1 35

W. & L. E. Gurley, dies for deputy sealer 5 97

Morris Hafey, certifying burial of Thomas Sample 1 00

A. W. Kirkpatrick, burial of Catharine Wood 100 00

S. W. McGath, certifying burial of Catharine Wood 1 00

Ben Metzger, labor on Sisk road 50 25

Ohio State Reformatory, typewriter chair 9 50

Pickaway Water Co., water rent for quarter 133 80

Pickaway Water Co., water for county garage 1 85

Remington Typewriter Co., adjusting machine 1 10

E. F. Schlegel, burial of Thomas Sample 100 00

Cash Sowers and others, labor on roads 74 00

United Chemical Co., metal glass for janitor 2 655

HIGH SCHOOL DINNER.

A dinner will be served at the high school Thursday evening, January 10, from 5 to 7 o'clock for the benefit of the high school.

High School Parent-Teachers' Association.

Old Oil Well.

On a trip through western Virginia, George Washington came upon what he called an "oil spring." He was so struck with the possible usefulness of this oil that in his last will he called the special attention of his trustees to the matter. Right here, it might be said, was the first awakening of interest in petroleum production in the United States—an industry the development of which gave us an output of \$56,000,000 barrels in the last year.

A SPECIAL SUMMONS TO KLANSMEN

Closed meeting January 8, 1924, at 7:30 sharp. Very important meeting. It is to the interest of every man to be present. Receiving charter and also the election of officers.

As to place where meeting is to be held, inquire at H. E. Betz & Son, corner of Court and Main street, Circleville, Ohio.

H. A. YATES.

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LEGAL NOTICE OF BOND SALE

Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the City Auditor of the City of Circleville, Ohio, until 12 o'clock, noon of

Tuesday Fifth Day of February, 1924

for the purchase of bonds of the said City of Circleville, in the aggregate sum of SEVEN THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$7,500) dated December 1, 1923. Said bonds shall be numbered from one to fifteen, both inclusive and shall also be serially numbered from 1 to 15, both inclusive, and each one of said 15 bonds shall be of the denomination of \$500 and shall bear interest at the rate of five and one-half per cent per annum and the first interest shall become due and payable on the first day of September, 1924 and semi-annually each year thereafter on the first day of March and September until the principal sum is paid. Said bonds shall mature as follows: The principal of each bond is for the sum of \$500; Bond No. 1, becomes due September 1, 1925, and one bond of \$500 matures in their numerical order on the first day of September of each year thereafter, until September 1, 1939, on which date the last bond—Bond No. 15 matures. The proceeds of said bonds are to be used for remodeling, rooming and improving the City Building for office purposes according to the plans, specifications, profiles and estimates, prepared by Stribling & Lum which are on file in the office of the Director of Public Service for public inspection. Said bonds are issued under authority of the laws of Ohio and especially of Section 3335 of the General Code of Ohio and under and in accordance with a certain ordinance entitled an ordinance to issue and sell bonds for the purpose of re-modeling, rooming and improving with suitable materials the City Building for office purposes being ordinance No. 465 passed by Council in an adjourned session on the 23d day of November, 1923. Said bonds will be sold to the highest and best bidder for not less than par and accrued interest to date of delivery. All bids must state the number of bonds bid for and the gross amount of bid and accrued interest to date of delivery. All bids to be accompanied with a certified check payable to the treasurer of said City for five per cent of the amount of bonds bid for, upon condition that the bid is accepted the bidder will pay and pay for such bonds as may be issued as above set forth, within ten days from the time of award, said check to be retained by the city if said condition is not fulfilled.

The City reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Bids should be sealed and endorsed "bids for City Bonds" and

ELLA LINDSEY, City Auditor.

January 7, 1924.

FIRST OF TEXAS RANGERS

Mounted Police of Canada the Only Other Similar Body of Men in America.

The mounted police of Canada is the only other similar organization to the Texas Rangers on this continent. The service of the rangers is more effective than that of the regular soldiers, for they pay less consideration to the possibilities of international complications.

"Killed in resisting arrest" is a very frequent report of a ranger, and it is always considered a satisfactory explanation of the death of an outlaw or criminal attempting to evade arrest.

The original rangers came into existence in the early days of the state, along about 1840, in the neighborhood of San Antonio. To affiliate with this band it was absolutely necessary for a man to possess courage, to be a splendid rider and an unerring shot, and to have a fleet horse worth at least \$100. For this he was remunerated by the state with the sum of \$1 a day.

The ranger was usually clothed in buckskin and wore a broad-brimmed hat. For his accompaniment three or four revolvers and as many bowie knives were thrust through his belt and a short rifle was thrown across his arm. Years of fierce border warfare had inured them to every hardship and had prepared them for every eventuality.—Detroit News.

MUST BUY OR KIDNAP BRIDE

Natives in Bali, an island of the Indian Archipelago, Must Succeed or Suffer Consequences.

Marriage in Bali, an island of the Indian archipelago, is a matter of purchase or of capture. An exchange of ardent glances in temple or market place, and perhaps a few clandestine meetings, tell the lover if the lady is not averse to abduction. He knows, however, that if he is caught in the act of carrying her off her willingness will not satisfy father or brother; so he lays his plans carefully and smuggles her away in absolute secrecy.

After a few days in hiding the groom sends a friend to his bride's parents to ask their forgiveness. Though the messenger invariably is received with great show of hostility, the culprits usually are forgiven. But if the third visit of the "go-between" is without result the lover and his bride are doomed to banishment from their village and people.

Broke Power of Indians.

King Philip's war was the name given to a desperate attempt made by Philip, son of Massasoit, sachem of the Wampanoags, to exterminate the white settlers of New England because of real and imaginary wrongs committed by them.

The war broke out July 4, 1675, with an attack on Swansea, R. I., and continued with varying fortune until August of the following year. The Indians finally were defeated, and Philip, becoming a fugitive, was shot in a swamp by a renegade Indian, and his son sold into slavery in Bermuda. It is said that thirteen towns and 600 dwellings were destroyed and 600 colonists killed. As a result of King Philip's war the power of the Indians was completely broken in New England.—Detroit News.

Seventy-Year-Old Steamer.

Geelong to Melbourne, the capital of Victoria, Australia, is about fifty miles, and two vessels make the return trip every day, the steamship Courier and the steamship Edina. The Edina was built in 1853, about seventy years ago, as a sailing vessel, trading between Leith, Hull and Hamburg. In 1863 the Edina was used as a blockade-runner between England and America, carrying arms one way and cotton the other. In 1864 she conveyed 350 miners to Australia, en route to the New Zealand gold fields. After that the Edina was fitted out as a steamer, in a manner then considered "palatial" and placed in the Queensland trade. Since 1880 she has been running from Geelong to Melbourne, and if less speedy than boats of later construction, the seventy-year-old Edina is still dependable.

Gleaning Bell.

In some of the Lincolnshire (England) villages the "gleaning bell" is still rung at sunset every day during the harvest operations, as a signal that the gleaners can begin their ancient occupation. The ringer is entitled to levy toll of one penny per gleaner for his services, or sometimes the payment is made in kind. The custom of supplying plenty of food and ale to harvesters is also a survival of the olden days when the "Victual rules" provided that every reaper was entitled to claim from his employer a drinking and bread and cheese in the morning, a dinner of roast meat and other good victuals, two drinkings in the afternoon, and drink always during the work, as their needs required.

Uninteresting Item.

A traveler who had stopped in Springfield, Ill., was being plotted along the route by a loquacious but somewhat tiresome cab driver, who insisted on regaling him with local news of little interest to strangers. As they passed one house the john pointed the butt of his whip at it and remarked:

"Lincoln's home."

"Is he, indeed?" returned the traveler, bored, but still polite.—Kansas City Star.

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AT THE COURT HOUSE

Grand Jury.

The grand jury convened this morning. The personnel of the jury is as follows: Frank Valentine, Charles Phillips, J. T. Timmons, Russell Wardell, Turney Woolaver, David Six, John Mack, Victor Ater, R. L. Brehmer, Ralph Boggs, Walter Parker, J. T. Brinker, James Baldwin, W. K. Salter and John Pickle. Nine cases were introduced on transcript and so far 71 witnesses were called. Judge Judge Curtin appointed R. L. Brehmer, as foreman.

Appointed Administrator.

T. A. Boor has been appointed administrator of the estate of the late Louis C. Hoover, of Harrison township, in probate court. The estate is estimated to be worth \$20,000 of which \$4000 is personal. Mr. Boor executed a bond of \$6000. The following persons were appointed appraisers: W. H. Plum, David Six and J. R. Hott.

Marriage License

Cary Johnson, 39, Pickaway township, farmer, and Maggie Chandler, 45, Pickaway township.

RIGHT ARM BROKEN.

Herbert Melvin, son of Mrs. Henry Melvin, of Jackson township, sustained a fracture of his right wrist Saturday, while cranking a school truck. The fracture was reduced by Dr. B. R. Bales.

NOTICE

Highest grade radiator alcohol, 188 proof, only 65 cents per gallon at

Charles Goeller's Broom & Paint Shop One square east of court house. 4jany27.

LEGAL NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the Pythian Castle Association company at the K. of P. hall in the city of Circleville, Ohio, on Monday, January 7, 1924, at 8:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year.

Elgar Barrere, President. J. B. Majors, Secretary. 4dec21mo.

HAT CLEANING PLACE.

Get our your Soft or Stiff Hat and let us clean and reblock it. Our system excels. Satisfaction guaranteed. Our price is right. Don't wait! Bring yours in before the rush. Also first class shine for ladies and gentlemen.

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No. 3 Daily	5:46 a. m.
No. 33 Daily	9:16 a. m.
No. 15 Daily	5:41 p. m.

Eastbound	
No. 16 Daily	9:26 a. m.
No. 32 Daily	5:23 p. m.
No. 4 Daily	10:12 p. m.

Pullman Sleepers between Columbus and Norfolk on trains 3, 4, 15 and 16.

Parlor cars (bottle service) between Columbus and Kenova on trains 32 and 33.

Dining car service on trains 3, 4, 15 and 16.

For details call on ticket agent, Norfolk & Western Railway, or address, JNO. L. BLANDON, Asst. General Pass. agt., Columbus, Ohio.

W. C. SAUNDERS, (Gen. Pass. Agt.) Roanoke, Va.

NOTICE.

The Benevolent association will meet at the cottage Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock.

Nature's Stern Law.

Achievement of whatever kind is the crown of effort, the diadem of thought. By the aid of self control, resolution, purity, righteousness, and well directed thought a man ascends; by the aid of animalty, indolence, impurity, corruption, and confusion of thought a man descends.—Allen.

MONEY TO LOAN.

On mortgage on farm lands, best terms and lowest rates of interest. No loan too large. For particulars inquire Charles H. May Pythian Castle.

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MONEY SAVED

You can save much money by buying your Coal requirements from us. Our Coal Office telephone, Number 40 North Canal street, Mr. Charles Stout manager. Hocking and West Virginia Block Coal now in stock.

H. M. CRITES & CO. 17dec27.

BAZAAR, MARKET AND RUMMAGE SALE

The annual Bazaar, Market and Rummage sale of the Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church, will be held for a week or ten days, beginning on Monday, January 28 in the City building in the room formerly occupied by the Hosler Packing company. Watch for future announcements. 2jany25.

First National Bank.

The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the First National bank of Circleville, Ohio, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year, and such other business as may properly come before it, will be held at the office of the First National bank, of Circleville, Ohio, on Tuesday, January 8, 1924, at two o'clock P. M.

J. W. CRIST, Cashier. 8dec21mo.

ANNUAL ELECTION.

The stockholders of the Forest Cemetery association will meet at the court house on Monday, January 28, 1924, at 7 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing directors and the transacting of such other business as may properly come before the association.

J. R. FLORENCE Secretary. 24dec24.

The Blanks Explained.

A strange phenomenon was observed when taking some exceptionally rapid pictures in New Jersey recently; every third film was found to be blank and on inquiring into the cause it was discovered that alternating current had been used for illumination and that the novograph had actually photographed the alternations of the current, which are too rapid to be perceived by the eye.

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PICKAWAY GRAIN COMPANY

The annual meeting of stockholders of THE PICKAWAY GRAIN CO. will be held

THURSDAY, JANUARY 10

at 1:00 P. M. in the Farm Bureau office for election of directors and other business.

M. G. STEELEY, Secretary

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- 1--1922 Ford Touring
- 1--1922 Chevrolet Roadster
- 1--1921 Nash Coupe

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COMBS OF WOOD

Women of Ancient Egypt Used
Boxwood Ornaments.

Prof. S. J. Record of Yale University
Describes Various Kinds of Wood
Used Centuries Ago.

The tresses of a pharaoh's daughter were dressed with combs of wood, says Prof. S. J. Record of Yale university, who recently made a study of the different kinds of woods used by the ancient Egyptians. These combs were made of boxwood, which was much used for carving by the early Egyptians, and they were not greatly dissimilar to some of the combs which adorn the women of the Twentieth century.

"As one wooden object after another from the tomb of Tut-Ankh-Amen has been described and pictured in the public press, many questions have arisen," writes Mr. Record. "What kinds of woods are these? Whence did they come? What preservatives have kept them sound for thousands of years? How can these woods be identified today?"

Professor Record's studies included the woods representative of the period from 2000 B. C. to 1200 B. C. Wood played an important part in the lives of these Egyptians and it had to be hauled very long distances. Cedar he found to be one of their most prized woods, the most famous species being the cedar of Lebanon, which is no myth, as some are inclined to believe.

The Egyptians used cedar extensively for coffins, boxes, large effigies and for such general purposes as we use white pine. They also used cypress, another wood of great durability. The gopher wood used in making the Ark of the Covenant was probably cypress, according to Professor Record.

The yew, a tree noted for its durability as the cedar and the cypress, was used by the Egyptians in the making of bows, carvings and small implements. Sycamore was used for mummy cases, but the sycamore of the ancients was a fig, an evergreen timber tree sometimes called a fig mulberry.

These species were employed where large sizes were demanded, while in the manufacture of smaller articles the Egyptians used such local growth as was available, which apparently was limited to tamarisk, alder and other minor species. The Egyptians were skilled woodworkers, cabinet makers and wood carvers.

Wood veneering is not an ultra-modern accomplishment, but it is in fact a practice of venerable antiquity. It was developed by the Egyptians several thousand years before the birth of Christ. Professor Record found an admirable example of this craftsmanship in the coffin of the monarch Nephthys from Meir, displayed in the Ninth Egyptian room of the Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York.

That these woods used by the Egyptians have endured the centuries, Professor Record attributes to the dry climate of Egypt and not to any preservatives employed. Professor Record identified the different woods by subjecting them to intensive study under the microscope and comparing their cell structure with that of the species as found growing today.—American Forestry Magazine.

Across Empty Continent.

Two explorers, seventy-year-old twins, by the bye, have just crossed Australia from south coast to north coast and back, covering nearly 6,000 miles in 67 days with three motor cars. The explorers passed through vast stretches of country without sign of man or beast, an experience, Captain White considers, which most strikingly justifies the late Lord Northcliffe's lament over the folly and menace of the "Empty Continent."

Mr. McCallum, one of the two brothers, says he was amazed at the abundance of fertile country through which they passed in the interior, and mentions one plain, 150 miles long and extending east and west as far as the eye can see, consisting of splendid alluvial soil. They passed through superb pastoral areas with many rivers available for huge irrigation schemes, but the development of these lands would be absolutely dependent upon the building of a direct north-south transcontinental line.

The Fond Parent.

The boy who had scratched his name on the paint of the stationary motor-car had been soundly cuffed by the owner.

Attracted by the loud howling which resulted, a crowd soon gathered, through which the father of the boy pushed his way.

"Who struck my son?" he demanded furiously. "Show me the man!"

The motorist stepped forward. He was 6 feet 2 inches in height and 49 round the chest.

"I did," he said.

"Served him right, sir," said the man, touching his cap. "I'll give him another hiding when I get him home."

On the Safe Side.

"I see you have put lightning rods on your new barn."

"Had to do it," answered Farmer Cornstossel.

"You said years ago that lightning rods were useless."

"Yep. Science has been mighty busy since then. If they kin prove that the old law of gravitation ain't workin' any more there's no tellin' but what they've given us a new kind of electricity."

When Harvard Ran a Lottery.
Does it make you shudder to recall that in 1772 Harvard college, instead of asking for subscriptions from the alumni for a fund, raised \$3200 by lottery "for building another hall for the students of Harvard college to dwell in?"—Boston Globe.

Strange If True.
The olive oil product of Spain varies greatly from year to year and there is a notion among the growers that the yield is always greater in the even numbered years.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.
A meeting of the stockholders of the Scioto Building & Loan company will be held Monday evening, January 7, 1924 at 8 o'clock at the city building for the purpose of electing a board of directors.

C. F. ABERNETHY
24dec12.

FOR SALE.
6 room frame dwelling with good outbuilding suitable for a garage with cistern water in kitchen, good well equipped with gas for light and heat, will net 15 percent on price asked which is \$1250. This is a place in a good location not very far off of Court street.

6 room frame dwelling with a good barn, equipped with gas for light and heat, well located on a paved street, will show a good income on the price asked which is \$3000. For further information call 234

9 room frame dwelling, good barn and other outbuildings with electric lights and gas, hydrant in yard and a good summer kitchen; suitable for double if so desired, well located not far off of Court street at a reasonable price, \$2800.

6 acre tract with a brick building suitable for a dwelling, with electricity at your door, well located 1 mile from a good school; price \$2000.

For further information call 234
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W. C. Morris, Secretary.

FINE FARM FOR SALE.

Simon Rife farm, consisting of 85 acre tract with 7 room brick dwelling with metal roof and good cellar under entire house, good barn including corn crib, wagon shed and granary large four door garage used as an implement building, good poultry, milk and butcher house; also tool shed with good well and cistern, electric light service at your door, small orchard hay and straw on farm can be purchased and the crop of growing wheat goes with the purchase price; there is about 10 acres of timber which is sold and will be cleared this coming year. Known as the Cromley farm, two miles from centralized school, one mile from church and about 3 miles from market located on the Circleville and Lithopolis road; this is a fine location and all tillable excepting timberland; possession given March 1, 1924 on easy terms. For full particulars see,

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Middlings	2 25	42 00
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Corn & Oat Chop	2 60	45 00
Molasses Chop	2 50	48 00
Tankage 60%	3 75	70 00
Meat Scraps	4 50	85 00
Scratch Feed	2 75	53 00
Cracked Corn	2 50	48 00
Oyster Shell	1 50	25 00
Oil Meal	3 25	
Screenings	1 25	
Hay	1 25	
Straw, per bale	65	
Corn, per bushel	80	
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Pomero Salt, 100 lb. bag	1 00	

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Costly Rainy Day.
It has been calculated that the cost of a rainy day in New York city is something like \$100,000.

The Pity of It.
First lady—"Why, didn't you know my husband was a great optimist?"
Second lady—"No. What a pity! He could have had the order I gave for a pair of spectacles for my husband only last week!"

His One Wish.
Mrs. Honey—"I can read you like a book, William." Mr. H—"Then I wish you'd do more reading and less questioning."

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SOME NIGHT SHIRT TALES

Epidemic of Men's Lost Garments Leads to Suspicion They Were Left in Sleepers on Purpose.

There has been an epidemic of lost night shirts in the Detroit district recently.

The first tale of a shirt involves an elderly woman who called at the office and was anxious for the return of a night shirt which she said her son had left on a pullman. It should be easy to discover, said she, as it was made of heavy blue and white flannel. It was located and when the clerk was wrapping it up she remarked, with a grim look, that she felt sure her son, who had failed to appreciate the article—her gift, too—had left it on the car on purpose, but—"as long as Tom's home, he's going to wear it." Judging from the tone in which she delivered this ultimatum, Tom will wear it until he takes another trip and manages to lose it on another pullman car—far, far from home.

A passenger bereft of his night attire wrote in a plaintive plea for its return, saying, "The weather is cold and the tails of the shirt are long, so please rush by return mail." Unless he has been careless once more he has leg comfort at night, for the shirt was returned immediately.

A traveling man who reported the loss of his night shirt said somewhat pathetically that it was the only one he had with him, he had to have it because he didn't dare to go home without it and it ought to be easy to find because it was red flannel. Noticing the look of incredulity on the face of the lost property clerk he explained that he was a forgetful cuss, that he was always leaving night shirts on the train, and that his frugal and ingenious wife had decided that to break him of his habit he should have shirts that even a blind man could not overlook, so she built him one of red flannel—and he had lost it on the first trip.—Pullman News.

SOWING OF DRAGON'S TEETH

According to Greek Myth Thebes Was Built by Soldiers Who Came From the Ground.

Some strange things are contained in the myths. One of them is the Greek story of the sowing of the dragon's teeth.

At the bidding of the oracle of Apollo, Cadmus set out with a party of retainers to found the city of Thebes. The sacred serpent of Mars captured the retainers, killed them and itself was killed by Cadmus.

A voice instructed Cadmus to remove the monster's teeth and sow them in a field. As he completed this task points of spears broke through the clod, then helmets, then armor-clad bodies of men, until a host of warriors stood in the field.

"Meddle not with our civil war," said one of the warriors as Cadmus advanced to meet what he thought was a new array of enemies.

Thereupon the warriors began to fight among themselves until all except five were killed. These five joined Cadmus and helped him to build Thebes.—London Answers.

Form of Punishment in 1618.

The custom of punishing a culprit by forcing him to "run the gauntlet" is said to have originated in the Thirty Years' war (1618-48), and to have been adopted by European armies as a mode of punishment. The culprit, stripped to the waist, was obliged to run repeatedly between two lines of soldiers facing each other. Each soldier struck at him with a short stick or switch.

The word "gauntlet," as here used, has the meaning usually given it—that of an iron glove—is simply a corruption of gantlopp or gatlopp, and is derived from the Swedish gatlopp, meaning "running down a lane." Some etymologists, however, derive the word from the German gassenlaufen, which means "running the lane," and others from the Dutch gangloppen, having the same meaning.

A Many-Sided Problem.

"Betty!" called the young mother. "Yes, ma'am," came from the nurse.

"When the baby has finished his bottle, lay him in the cradle on the right side. After eating, a child should always lie on the right side. That relieves the pressure on the heart. Still (reflectively) the liver is on the right side. Perhaps, after all, you'd better lay him on the left side. No, I'm sure the book said, 'right side.' On the whole, Betty, you may lay the baby on his back till I have looked the matter up more thoroughly."

Against Evil Gases.

The United States bureau of mines, informing the public against the use of masks against obnoxious gases, etc., says that gas masks are the simplest and easiest to wear, but they protect only in comparatively low concentrations of obnoxious gases and should never be used where the air contains less than 16 per cent of oxygen.

So There, Smarty.

The difference between a woman and a man is that the funny fellow, when he is in a room, reflects without any reflection on the woman speaks with a womanly voice, and you and I, when we are in a room, we are not so polished.—Auckland News.

AMUSEMENTS

Bringing paintings to life!

That is the feat Herbert Brenon accomplished in filming "The Rustle of Silk," his initial Paramount picture featuring Betty Compson and Conway Tearle, which comes to the Met theater Monday.

The producer wished to introduce a small historical retrospect into the action. For this purpose he chose two of the loveliest of Fragonard's Louis XV paintings and literally brought them to life on the screen.

One of these paintings shows a beauty of the period reposing in a swing in an exquisite garden of that day; the second is called "La Lecture" and pictures a young gallant of the day reading to the lady of his heart.

Brenon and his scenarists developed a small play-within-a-play from these two paintings, with Betty Compson and Conway Tearle in the chief roles. Every detail of both pictures was exactly reproduced before the camera, including the formal garden and the lavish costumes.

To carry out the illusion of bringing the paintings to life, the cameraman resorted to an intricate photographic process, whereby the spectator first sees the original painting and then dissolves into the same picture peopled with the actors, but retaining the frame which encircled the original painting. The entire effect is of the people of the picture coming to life and moving about on the screen.

"The Rustle of Silk" is the story of a humble daughter of the people who falls in love with a great statesman, who subsequently becomes Prime Minister of England. The girl is the great-granddaughter of a French noble woman, and Brenon's historical cutbacks not only add to the beauty of the picture but are of dramatic value to the finished photoplay.

Hotel Stenographer

BY ROE FULKERSON



"Ain't they got no mothers?" asked Kelly, thrusting his thumb over his shoulder. "Kelly," the Hotel Stenographer locked three flap pers over carefully, "the chances are that each of 'em has a mother and that each mother is proud of each one of them."

"Kelly, you are old-fashioned. You think about the hand-spanked and personally ear-boxed children of a decade ago, when you were getting your own trousers bruised with a piece of plank instead of a whisk broom."

"Mothers of today bring up their daughters the way they would have liked to go when they were young themselves. The long cigaret holders they puff at would have made their mothers mighty happy, but when they grew up, it was not considered the right thing."

"Their mothers were pinched in castings of whalebone. They knew what it meant to get home, shed their armor, and rub their ribs to get the creases out. So they are willing to let these kids be uncorseted and graceful."

"Their mothers would have like an afternoon tea and dance with tea hounds, whose papas have been so successful that their sons are bound to be failures, except as teachers of fancy dancing."

"Their mothers would have liked automobiling on the good roads, too. Of course, there were no automobiles in those days, neither were there any good roads. The flapper has both."

"Every mother is confident her daughter will not do anything to disgrace any one. How could she, with the mother she had? Now and then a mother comes down off her high horse with a dull sickening thud, when her daughter gets arrested for bootlegging, but that is a mere bag of shells as the novelist says."

Circleville Savings & Banking Co. The regular meeting of the stock holders of the Circleville Savings & Banking company of Circleville, Ohio for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors for the ensuing year and such other business as may properly come before it, will be held at the office of the Circleville Savings & Banking company, of Circleville, Ohio, on Wednesday, January 9, 1924, between the hours of 3 and 4 o'clock p. m.

J. R. NOECKER, Cashier.

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Bible Thought for Today

THE LAWYER'S QUESTION.—Master, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?

ODD SEA ANIMAL

Soldier Crab and His Habits Described by Writer.

Is a Terrible Glutton and Desperate Fighter—Will Battle to the Death for Home.

Of all the queer creatures that live in the sea, there is none stranger than the hermit crab, or the soldier crab, as he is sometimes called, says Mary Dudderidge. The second name is better than the first, for the hermit crab is neither pious nor dignified, as a hermit should be, and he does not live alone, as we shall see later. He is, on the contrary, a terrible glutton and a desperate fighter; for he lives in a world of hungry creatures, all anxious to eat and not to be eaten, and he does not intend to be eaten if he can by any means avoid it.

And in order that he shall not be eaten, it is first of all necessary that he shall get himself a house. Nature has been rather unkind to him, for, while all his cousins of the crab family are clad in coats of mail, and many of his neighbors in the sea are able to build themselves strong and beautiful houses, he has no tools with which to build and no armor except on the front part of his body. So he is obliged to take refuge in a strong tower that some one else has built, and in his search for it, he does not trouble himself much about questions of right and wrong. If no one has a claim on the house that he wants, well and good; but in any case, he must have a safe place to live in. If, therefore, he finds any one in possession of the coveted stronghold, he does not scruple, if the unfortunate tenant is weaker than himself, to pull him out and make a meal of him. If this tenant happens to be a brother hermit, there is sure to be a royal row. The pair sometimes fight to the death, and the victor may devour the vanquished. In many cases, however, it has been observed that the upshot of the fracas is simply an exchange of shells, the defeated party taking possession of the abandoned fortress of his enemy. And after all the fuss, the victor very likely finds that the new house does not suit him and he must look for another.

The hermit crab has a great fancy for the shell of the wheel; but in case of necessity he will take up with anything hollow, even an old pipe or bottle. When shells are plentiful, however, he is as particular as any housekeeper looking for a flat. When he finds an apartment that appears satisfactory, he examines it very carefully, holding it off at arm's length, turning it around and poking his claws inside. Having finally decided that it will do, he comes out of his old shell and darts into the new so quickly that it is almost impossible to see him do it, for he has no mind to expose his soft body to the dangers of the sea. He hangs onto his old shell till he is sure the new one will do, and often changes his abode several times before he is satisfied.—St. Nicholas Magazine.

More Women Enter U. S.

For ten years there has been a steady increase in the proportion of women to men among the immigrants from all parts of Europe. Last year, for the first time since immigration statistics have been kept, there were more women than men admitted to the country. The proportion is partially explained by the fact that immigrants of former years have prospered and are now sending for their mothers, wives and daughters to join them. Despite the increasing number of women coming in there is no apparent relief for the household help problem. A trifling proportion of these women take up domestic work. Many of them enter factories. Statistics show that of the women immigrants comparatively few are trained for any kind of employment. The same condition is found among the men. A large proportion of the immigrants are classified under "no occupation." There are fewer laborers coming in than at any time in twenty years.

Use of Feldspar Growing.

The exploitation of the many feldspar deposits of the United States is all the time increasing, owing to the extensive use of this mineral in the manufacture of pottery, enamelware, enamel brick and electricware. It is also used for binding together the material of emery or carborundum wheels as well as to some extent in the manufacture of opalescent glass and artificial teeth. It is useful in the preparation of scouring soaps and window washes, because being slightly softer than glass it is not likely, as is the quartz contained in some soaps, to abrade the surface. Feldspar employed in pottery must be nearly free from iron-bearing minerals.

Woman Leads Pirates.

There recently appeared on the river at Hong Kong, much to the alarm of shipowners and their crews, a woman pirate, who has already taken a heavy toll of loot from vessels. Nothing is known of her, except the fact that she speaks English, wears a serge costume and Wellington boots, and carries a wicked-looking revolver, with which she compels her victims to surrender. Under her are a score or more Chinese brigands, who, although they are cut-throats and robbers, obey her implicitly.

Days of Gluttony.

Seventy-five years ago it was not unusual for a formal English breakfast to last two hours, while a dinner might start at 8:30 o'clock and be protracted till midnight. And the courses were as many and substantial as the meals were lengthy.

Turkish Superstition.

Upon the graves of the dead in the Turkish cemeteries little vessels of water are placed for the benefit of the birds, the superstition being that birds carry messages about the living to the dead.

Avoid Affectation.

Affectation is an awkward and forced imitation of what should be genuine and easy, wanting the beauty that accompanies what is natural.—Locke.

Not Pure Reading Matter.

"How to lie when asleep," runs a newspaper headline. The space would be better filled persuading people to tell the truth while awake.—Boston Transcript.

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Made of good quality black sateen in five fancy trimmed styles with cretonne and satin edging. Regular \$1.50 dresses; clearance price **95c**

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English and rib Sport Coats in brown, and green heather mixtures; in plain and belled pockets in sizes 36 to 46. Regular \$2 Sweater Coats clearance price **\$1.69**

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Single extra large Cotton Blankets in grey with pink, blue and tan borders; well filled cotton blankets size 66x80. Regular \$1.50 single blanket clearance price **95c**

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MEN'S WORK SHIRTS

Heavy Boss and Big Yank Work Shirts Regular \$1.00 shirts sale price **75c**

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Crompton Weatherproof Corduroy suits size 8 to 16 years **\$4.95**
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NOTICE

AMERICAN LEGION.

Next regular meeting Howard Hall
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P. M. for election of officers and other
important business. LUNCH.
Joseph M. Lynch
Adjutant.

A LOST SHIP

It lies beneath the waters, fathoms
deep,
Rotting and rusting through the cen-
turies;
Dank mosses hide its golden piracies
And sea snakes through its broken
cabins creep
And o'er its sunken treasures vigil
keep;
Bones whiten on its slimy, gutted
deck
And great fish at this human fodder
peck,
While o'er its masts grim monsters
whine and leap.

Sometimes the divers, like strange
idiots clad,
Descend upon its ruined, ancient
hulk,
And shudder, as they watch the sea
folk skulk,
Trailing the misty wraiths that noise-
less pad
Through this drowned ship that
waited from Salem town,
And left no man to tell how it went
down.

—New York Times.

CREATURES WHO NEVER DIE

Animals and Insects to Whom What
We Call Death Brings Only Sus-
pension of Activities.

There is an old saying that a cat
has nine lives, but once a cat is dead,
it is dead.

But there are some creatures to
whom what we call death brings only
a suspension of activities.

Not long ago there were unearthed
some Chinese manuscripts which had
lain for centuries in a receptacle that
was virtually a vacuum. When the
manuscripts were warmed, millions of
"dead" microbes stirred and came to
life.

Some forty years back the island of
Krakatoa, off the west coast of Suma-
tra, was almost blown to pieces by the
greatest volcanic eruption in history.
Plants were blasted; animals and in-
sects killed. Every form of life was
destroyed.

Today, Krakatoa is covered with a
dense vegetation, in which move all the
old forms of animal life.

Seeds carried ashore by wind and
sea may explain the presence of tropi-
cal plants. But it would appear that
countless small organisms and insects
have been "nursed" by the plants, and
brought back again from death to life.

Then there is the toad. Time and
again a toad has been buried, only to
reappear after several months none
the worse for his demise.

Marmots, already apparently dead,
have been further subjected for four
hours to the poison gases of carbon
dioxide, and have afterwards "come
to life" no whit the worse. Flies kept
for days in wine have, when rescued
and dried in the sun, come to life
again and flown away.

JUSTIFIED



He—Why do you treat me as you
do?
She—Because you don't treat me
at all.

Credit of American Methodism,
Barratt's chapel, near Frederica,
Del., is to Methodists what Independ-
ence hall is to Americans. It was in
this chapel Bishops Coke and Asbury
first met in America, held a council
with eleven ministers and arranged
for the organization of the Methodist
church as it exists in this country to-
day. During the year 1780 the chapel
was erected on ground donated for
that purpose by Phillip Barratt, a
member of the Delaware assembly.
Phillip Barratt was one of the men
who entertained and protected Asbury
during the Revolution. It was on Sun-
day, Nov. 14, 1784, that plans were
discussed which resulted in calling the
first conference of the Methodist
church at Baltimore, Dec. 25, 1784.
Bishop Coke was preaching in Bar-
ratt's chapel when Asbury arrived.
After the services they went to the
house of Mrs. Miriam Barratt, and
during the conversation which fol-
lowed plans were laid which resulted
in the foundation of the present
church.

Only Her Husband.

Suspicious Mistress—Jessie, didn't
I hear you talking with somebody?
Cook—Yassum; reckon so.

Mistress—Haven't I told you repeat-
edly, Jessie, that you must never have
any of your gentlemen friends call
here?

Cook—Hee, hee, missus! How he
will laugh when he hears dat! Lo-
bless you, dat wasn't no gemmun
frien! Dat was jus' mah wifless, no-
'count husban'.—Everybody's Maga-
zine.

A Large Order.

"Do you make life-size enlarge-
ments from photographs?"
"Yes, sir; that's one of our very
special lines."

"Well, do this one for me. It's a
snap I took of a whale."

Depends.

"Are you going to build your house
of brick?"
"Yes—if we can interest any brick-
layers."—Life.

PERSONALS

Mrs. F. B. Brunner spent the day in
Columbus.

Miss Clara Southward spent the day
in Columbus.

Judge Charles Dresbach was a busi-
ness visitor in Columbus today.

Miss Sadie Brunner and Mrs. Har-
riet Lazenby spent the day in Colum-
bus.

Mrs. Orion King spent the day in
Ashville with Mr. and Mrs. Seymour
Miller.

Paul Valentine, C. A. Smith and J.
C. Haswell were business visitors in
Columbus today.

Corbett Dean of Columbus, spent
Sunday here the guest of his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. James Dean.

Mrs. Jane Woolever has returned
home after spending the holidays with
her brother, Lewis I. Morris.

Miss Ethel Caudy of Columbus,
spent the weekend with her mother,
Mrs. Mary Caudy, at Five Points.

D. M. Bockart of Columbus, spent
the weekend with his parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Harvey Bockart, at Tarlton.

Mrs. Rose Miller, of Columbus,
spent the weekend with her mother,
Mrs. Wilson Valentine, at Stoutsville.

Miss Ida Wardell of Columbus,
spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.
Thomas Wardell of Wayne township.

Miss Iola Seymour of Columbus,
spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs.
William Clifton of Jackson township.

George G. Adkins was in Columbus
today attending to some legal business
ty.

Mrs. Willard Story and daughter,
Clara, of Washington C. H., were the
guests over Sunday of her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Howard.

Rev. Arthur Cherrington, of Chilli-
cothe, district superintendent spent
Sunday in Tarlton and went to Colum-
bus today on a business trip.

Charles Morrow of Lafayette, In-
diana, and Mrs. Ida Edmonds of Cole-
burn, Indiana, who were called here
by the death of their sister, Miss Jane
Morrow, have returned home.

Miss Maxine Irwin, a student at the
Morey School of Music Columbus, has
returned to school after spending two
weeks' vacation with her parents, Dr.
and Mrs. S. J. Irwin, at Tarlton.

HOW MILK PRODUCTION MAY BE INCREASED.

The average milk production of 23
the butterfat 69 per cent in feeding
cows was increased 65 per cent and
tests at the Ohio Experiment Station by
simply increasing the ordinary amount
of feed one-half. It was also found
that the amount of feed required to
produce a gallon of milk or a pound of
butter was less with the more
liberal feeding.

These experiments covered full
lactation periods and included all the
year round feeding. The average an-
nual production of the 23 cows on or-
dinary feeding and pasture was 335
pounds of butterfat. This was raised
to 568 pounds by simply increasing
the feed one-half.

MEN! ATTENTION!

The brotherhoods of the various
churches of the city are invited to
spend Tuesday evening, January 8, at
the Presbyterian church, as guests of
that brotherhood and hear an address
by Harry B. Dixon. Mr. Dixon will
speak about his experiences among
will be served after the address.
The Head Hunters of India. Lunch
Meeting at 7:30 o'clock.

Patching Wall Paper.

To patch gouges made in the wall
by sharp-cornered furniture, fill the
hole with plaster of paris to which
has been added dissolved glue to de-
lay the hardening process. Use a half
cup of dry glue to a half pound of
plaster of paris. Let a scrap of the
original paper fade in the sun to
match the wall paper, and tear out
a patch, making it irregular in shape.
Carefully peel off layers from the
back, thus making the patch as thin
as possible and apply to the wall.

THE SICK.

Edmund Moeller, of the Moeller dry
goods store, who has been quite ill for
the past three weeks, is reported
much better and is able to be up and
about his home.

The condition of Caddy Miller re-
mains precarious. He passed thru a
critical evening Sunday and was deli-
rious at times.

Champion Almanac Hoarder.

A Philadelphia who has reached the
age of one hundred and two years has
accumulated the greatest collection of
almanacs in the world. And yet they
want to give us monkey glands to
make us live longer.—Cartoon's Maga-
zine.

BATTLESHIP ADRIFT

One of the Vessels to Be Scrapped
Under the Naval Treaty.

Washington, Jan. 7.—The United
States battleship Louisiana is adrift
30 miles at sea off the Delaware
coast, according to a radiogram from
Hampton Roads, Va., received here
by the navy department. The war
vessel, recently sold to a private com-
pany for scrapping, was towed by
two tugs when she went adrift. Naval
vessels are trying to locate her.

First word of the accident was re-
ceived from the steamship Herbert
L. Pratt, which reported citing the
battleship about 30 miles off the Dela-
ware coast. The Louisiana was
placed out of commission on Oct. 20,
1920, at the Philadelphia navy yard.
Later she was sold to a private firm
for scrapping. Her private owners
were having her towed when she went
adrift.

Alfred Gurenfeld, pianist and com-
poser, died in Vienna.

Three more fatalities in conse-
quence of the heavy snowfall through-
out the Alpine region are reported
from the Tyrol, where a party of five
skiers was struck by an avalanche.

Fifteen-year-old Louis Gilbert of
Linden, N. J., was sentenced from 10
to 30 years in state's prison for the
murder of his uncle, Joseph Hall of
Rahway, last July.

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